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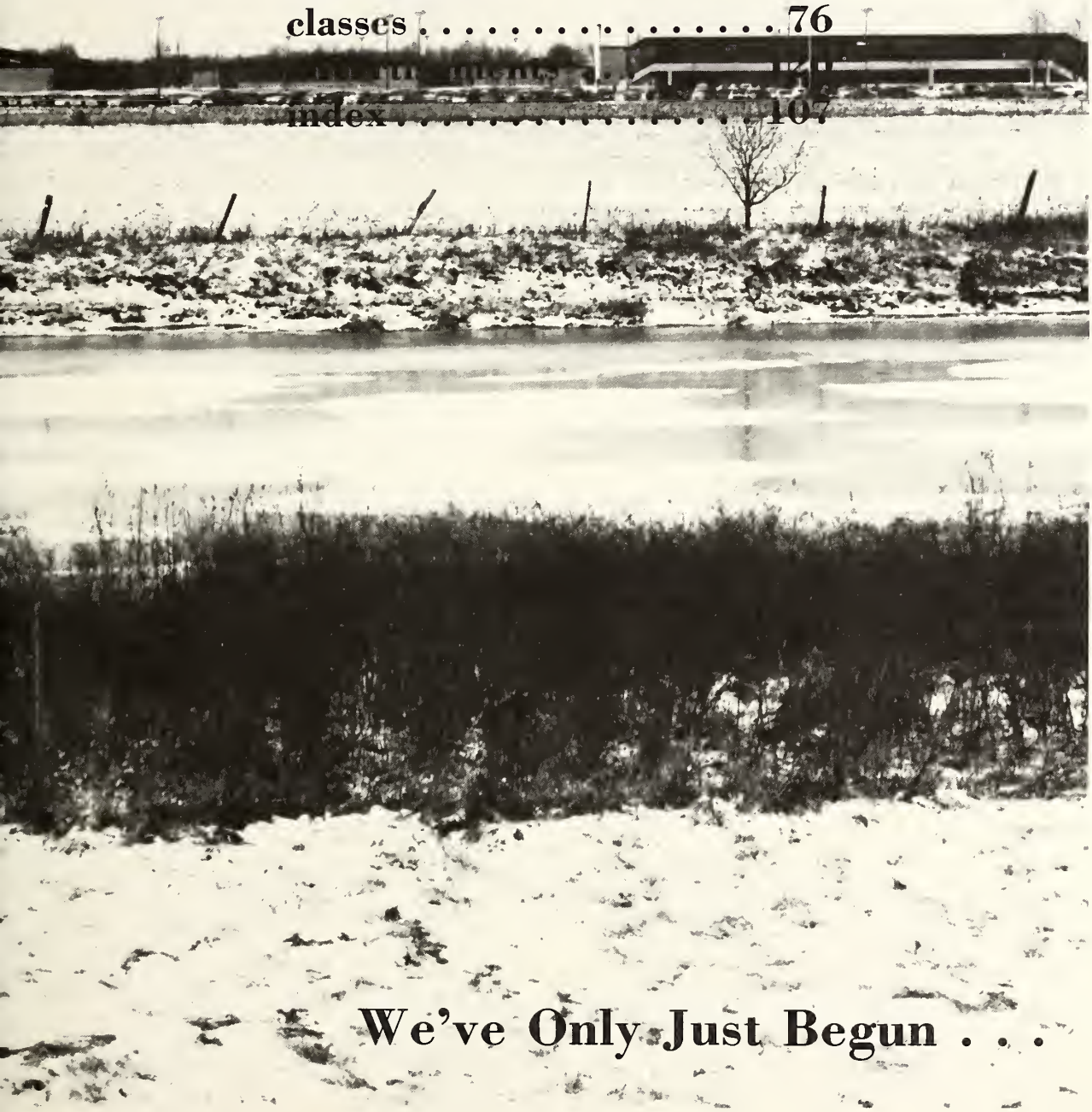


We've Only Just Begun . . .

. . . To Live

—foreword —

We, the 1971 TARN staff, dedicate this book to you through the words of Paul Williams, Roger Nichols, and the Carpenters' hit tune:

WE'VE ONLY JUST BEGUN

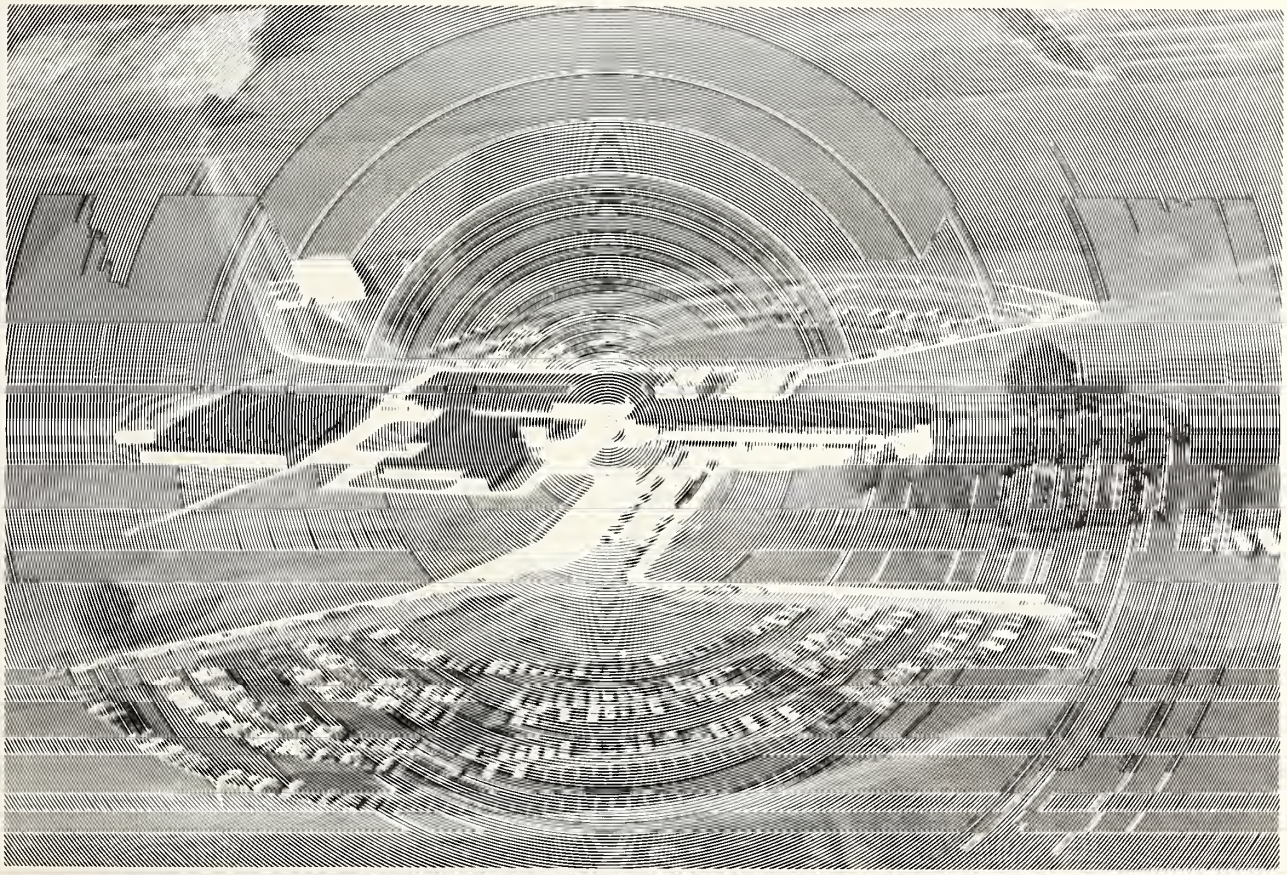
We've only just begun to live -
White lace and promises,
A kiss for luck and we're on our way.
We've only just begun.

Before the rising sun, we fly -
So many roads to choose.
We start out walking and learn to run.
And yet we've just begun.

Sharing horizons that are new to us;
Watching the signs along the way,
Talking it over, just the two of us,
Working together day to day - together.

And when the evening comes, we smile -
So much of life ahead.
We'll find a place where there's room
to grow.
And yet we've just begun.

Sharing Horizons That Are New To Us



Working Together Day To Day

So Much Of Life Ahead

We'll Find A Place Where There's Room To Grow

And Yes, We've Just Begun

ADMINISTRATION

standing (1 to r) Mr. Carleton Apple, Dr. Curtis A. Parker, Mr. Harry Irwin, Mr. Huel Cross, seated (1 to r) Dr. Allen Y. Baker, Mr. Melvin Farlow, Mrs. Marie Simmons.

District # 521 Board Members

The Board consists of seven members elected by the citizens of the Rend Lake College District. The Board meets on the third Tuesday of each month and deals with matters of finance and policy.

Faculty council and board members activate new ideas

Faculty Council

The Faculty Council is composed of members elected from and by the faculty, with a Student Senate representative attending each meeting. The Council meets monthly to discuss instructional programs, and problems of faculty and student welfare.

Mr. Thomas Burke, president

standing (1 to r) Mr. Edward Kownacki, Mr. Robert Jones, Mr. Myron Foley, Mr. Max Brandon, seated (1 to r) Mrs. Eleanor Hall, president-elect, Dr. Barbara Luchsinger, Mrs. Gela Goin.

President And Dean Endure Problems Of New Campus

Dr. James M. Snyder, RLC President, takes a break from his daily responsibilities for picture taking.

Dr. Snyder's secretary, Mrs. Mavis Carter, types a memo from the President.

Mrs. Kathleen Kelley, Dr. Rawlinson's secretary, checks some budget figures.

Dr. Howard E. Rawlinson, Dean of the College, contemplates where to start his daily tasks.

A message from the President:

Several years before coming to my present position, an instructor for whom I have great admiration gave me a copy of a poem or bit of prose that I also value highly. The lines, individually or collectively, in my opinion, reflect great wisdom.

The author of these lines is unknown to me, but the title is, "Children Learn What They Live." I would like to paraphrase these lines a bit, and share them with you in the hope that they will be as helpful and meaningful to you as they have been to me. In paraphrasing the lines, I have substituted the word "individual" for the word "children," and I have done this because I believe it is equally as appropriate to adults as it is to children.

Individuals Learn What They Live

If an individual lives with criticism,
He learns to condemn.
If an individual lives with hostility,
He learns to fight.
If an individual lives with ridicule,
He learns to be shy.
If an individual lives with jealousy,
He learns to feel guilty.
If an individual lives with tolerance,
He learns to be patient.
If an individual lives with encouragement,
He learns confidence.
If an individual lives with praise,
He learns to appreciate.
If an individual lives with fairness,
He learns justice.
If an individual lives with security,
He learns to have faith.
If an individual lives with approval,
He learns to like himself.
If an individual lives with acceptance and friendship,
He learns to find love in the world.

Administration And Staffs

DEANS: Mr. Ardell W. Kimmel, Vocational and Technical Education; Mr. James R. McGhee, Adult Education and Community Service; and Mr. James F. Yates, Student Personnel.

Mr. Paul M. Fitch, Business Manager; Mr. Robert Webb, Building and Maintenance Superintendent; and Mrs. Imogene Book, Director of Library.

Meet Demands Of The New Campus

TOP: Mrs. Rosemary Carnes, Mr. Fitch's secretary; Miss Sue Bond, receptionist. BOTTOM: Mrs. Ruth Heiderscheit, Mr. Kimmel's secretary; Mrs. Rosalyn Guyton, Mr. Yates' secretary.

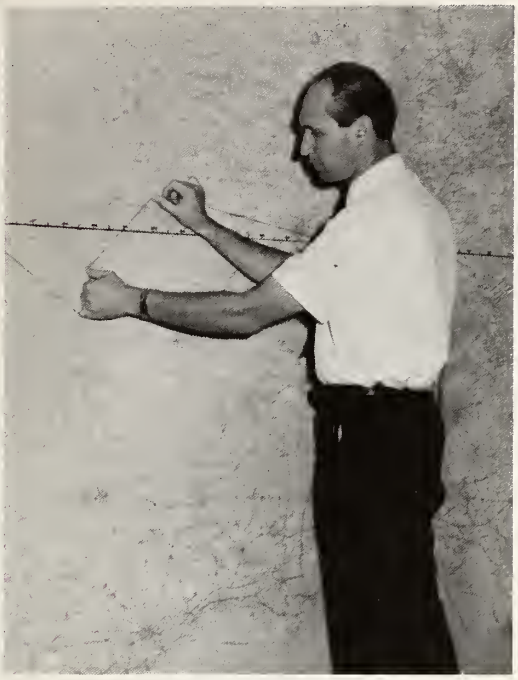
TOP: Mrs. Myrtle Frederick, Bookstore secretary; Mrs. Mary Drew, Faculty secretary. BOTTOM: Mrs. Evelyn York, Mrs. Book's secretary; Mrs. Lois Miller, Mr. McGhee's secretary.

Counseling staff helps students with future horizons.

Miss Barbara L. Tomek, Mr. Charles E. von Schlutter, and Mrs. Betty Ann Ward.

FACULTY

Flight to New Horizons



Mr. Walter Gentry, aviation instructor, measures distance on a sectional chart "as the crow flies."

Mr. Gentry and student pilot Ron Thomason plot cross country flight.

The aviation curriculum at Rend Lake College starts from the basic fundamentals of flight to the more technical aspects of professional multi-engine instrument instruction.

Agriculture Students Learn Through Practical Experience

To meet the needs of students wishing to make a career in the complex and competitive field of agriculture, the Ag Department includes agriculture business, production, and management in its curriculum. To expose students to actual work practice, they work under the supervision of an employer and a college instructor.

Mr. Ardell W. Kimmel, Dean of Vocational and Technical Education

Aiding students in bookwork is only one of the duties of Ag instructor, Mr. Mark S. Kern, chairman of Ag Department.

Mr. L. Leavell Swink demonstrates measuring soil acidity to John Sapp and Delbert Kern.

Ag student Richard Petrea checks notes with Darrel Mays.

Mr. David Scott, agriculture instructor, checks fuel consumption of a diesel tractor with students.

Mr. Carroll Turner, agriculture, explains an ignition system simulator.

Mr. Scott and Dale Dagner test a diesel pump.

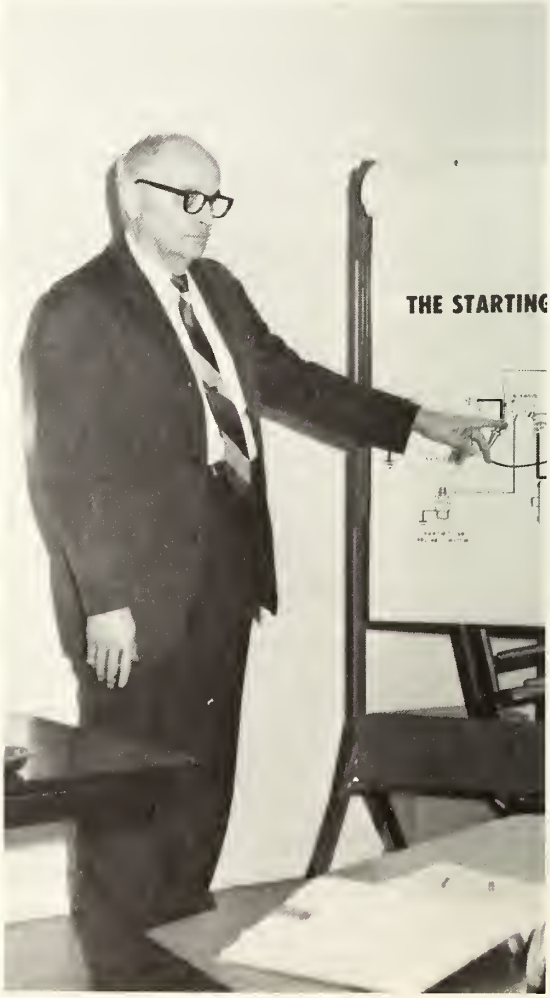
Ag students prepare a display for open house.

Benton Campus Continually Strives For Better Mechanics

One of the rare times auto mechanics students are found in a classroom.

Mechanic students Russell Allen and Kenn Daily use the generator-alternator tester.

Jonathan Thomas looks on as Alovin Loyd tests a reassembled engine.



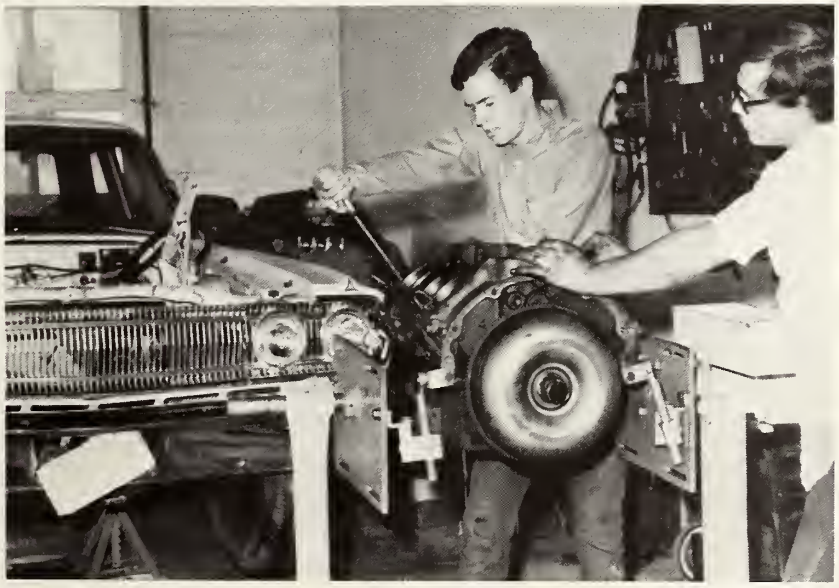
Mr. Robert E. McKemie explains an auto's ignition system.

Looking forward to a new horizon on the Rend Lake campus.

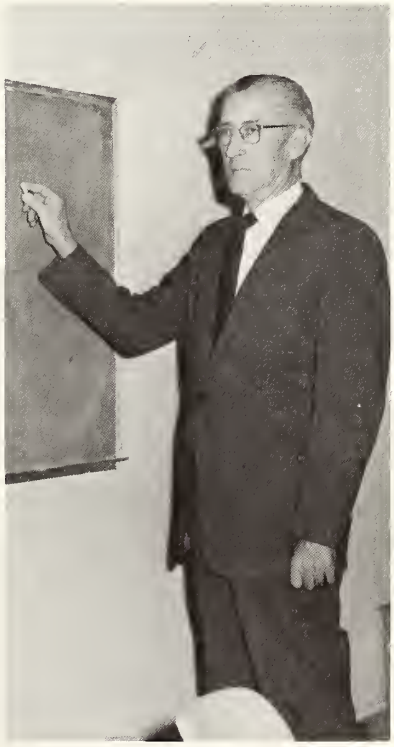
Bob Eshmeider, student mechanic.

Mr. Robert E. McKemie, head of the Automotive Mechanics school in Benton, points out engine components to his students.

This program is designed to prepare the student for occupations involving the maintenance and repair of machines. Upon completion of the curriculum the student will have a thorough knowledge of the engine, repair, servicing, and management. Laboratory experience includes exposure to actual shop conditions.



Mechanic students, Bill Mezo and Loyd Tiller, disassemble an engine.



Mr. Terry Anderson, an instructor of Auto Mechanics.

Art Is Creative Expression

Mr. James A. Kangles, art instructor, illustrates that a picture is worth a thousand words.

Art student, Marlene Browning, learns the essentials of drawing shadows, spaces and tones in drawing class.

Students in Art Appreciation discover there's more to Art than pictures.

Sue Augustine seems to be the only one in art appreciation taking notes.

Design students construct one of the many semester's projects with toothpicks.

Mr. Kangles helps students discover talent.

Photographer captures a double pose shot of Mr. Jim Kangles during an art appreciation class.

Business Is Their Horizon

Mr. William Younghusband, accounting instructor, ponders over a student's question.

Mrs. Gela Goin, head of the Business Department, prepares the stenotrainer for shorthand practice.

Economics teacher, Mr. Myron Foley, points out important notes from an overhead projector.

Mr. Foley's Economics class requires copious and accurate notes.

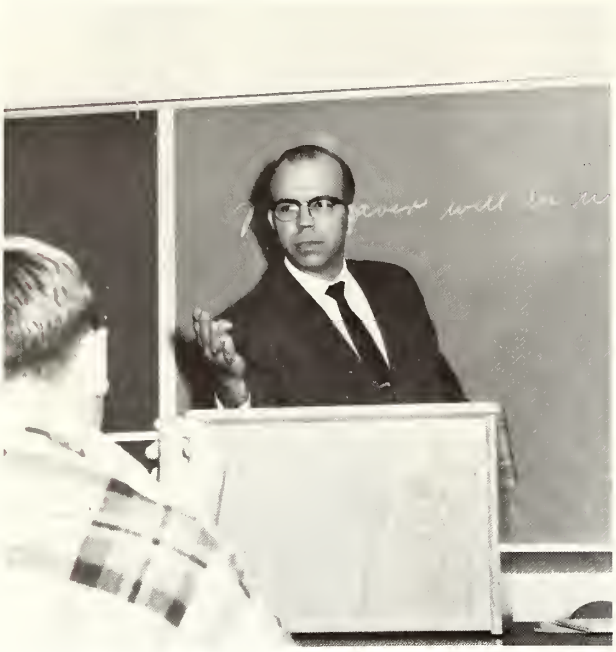
The Business Department offers courses covering the many aspects of the business world from shorthand and typing to economic accounting and data processing. The acquisition of additional electrical equipment trains students on machines similar to those found in most modern offices.

Students in advanced typing concentrate on building speed and accuracy in typing as well as learning essentials of office procedures.

Mrs. Imogene Kolkhorst sets the timing clock as her advanced typing students prepare to be tested for their individual progress.

Before breaking for lunch, Mrs. Kolkhorst demonstrates electric collator procedures.

Communication Helps Us To Grow



Mr. William T. Brammeier emphasizes an important point.

Dr. Barbara Luchsinger,
Chairman of Communications Department.

Mr. Thomas Burke converses with students as he takes roll.

Dr. Evelyn Claxton, a new member of the faculty, reviews material for her next class assignment.

Speech, drama, reading lab also play an integral part.

Mrs. Lois Mackey, reading lab instructor, assists Pam Roberts in increasing reading speed and comprehension.

Speech and drama instructor, Miss Cheryl Merkins: "If you don't know, you don't know."

Ranging from rhetorical composition to literature, English is a must at Rend Lake College or at any college. Besides developing writing techniques and an understanding of literature, English is the center for all other departments.

Miss Georgine Monkens, reading lab instructor.

Mr. John Traver, English 111-112 and 211-212 instructor.

Cosmetology Offers New Career Opportunities

The Beauty Culture program, located in Benton, prepares cosmetology students to meet the requirements for their licensing by the Illinois Department of Registration and Education. This is the first full year of instruction for cosmetology, having gotten a late start in 1969-70. The program now involves one full time instructor and part time instructors.

Mrs. Betty Webb, director of the beauty culture program, demonstrates the proper method to tease hair.

Ruth Cole combs Janet Winkler's hair into one of the latest styles.

Draftsmen Design The Future

Mechanical Technology includes the basic fundamentals of lettering instrument usage and sketching techniques in which the student makes a freehand sketch first and then an instrument drawing of machine parts.

Drafting students hard at work in their Emmerson Hotel classroom.

Mr. Melvin R. Partridge, Mechanical Technology.

Together Through Language

Der Sprachkenner, beschreibt Herr Floyd J. Dressel, Spanisch und Deutschunterrichter.

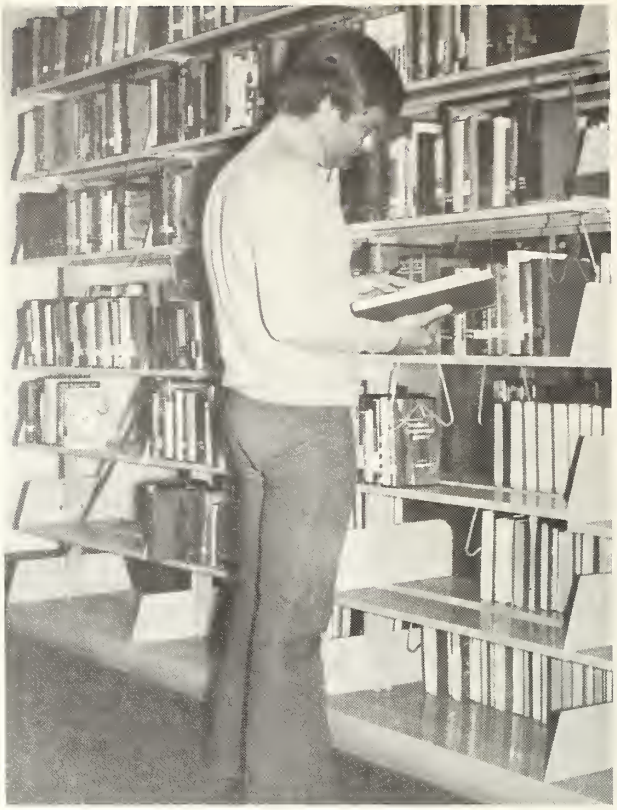
Al cuidado del señor Dressel, quien asocia este año con el Colegio del Rend Lake, los estudiantes aprenden los principios del español.

Parlez-vous Français? Oui, je le parle un peu mais nous l'apprenons de plus en plus chaque jour dans la classe de Mme. DeSelms.

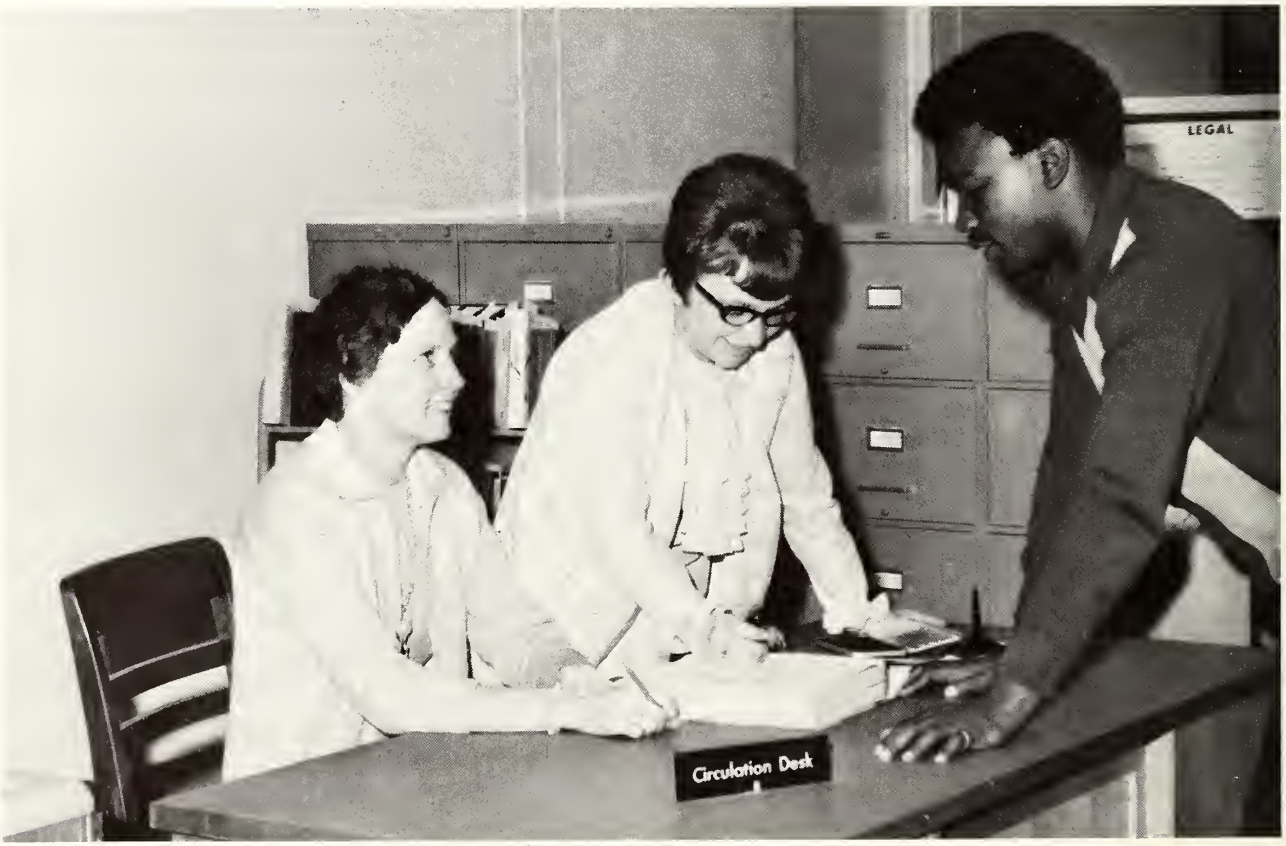
Deutsche Studenten Jay DeWitt und Kenneth Pigg.

Mme. Carolann DeSelms, professor de français, prépare le laboratoire pour la classe de français.

Mrs. Imogene Book, Director of the Library.



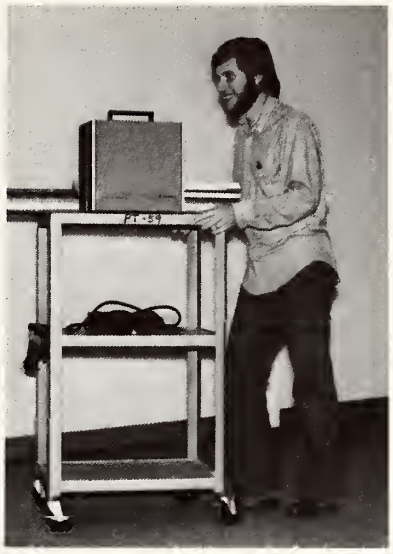
Ron Henson makes use of one of the library's many resource materials.



Senior clerk and office manager, Mrs. Paula Delaney, and Miss Kathy Karcher, clerk, help Alexander Wright check out material for home study.

Audio-visual department has a new learning research center.

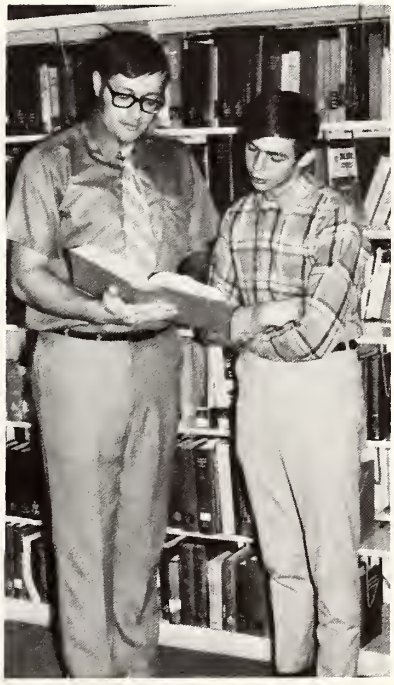
Student prepares to use a microfilm viewer in the learning research center of the library.



Mr. Bruce Lindsay takes a projector and screen for use in a classroom.

Knowledge is the key to success, and knowledge can be found in books. And books can be found in the library which provides an atmosphere encouraging both study and research. The new library contains ample space for reference and pleasure purposes.

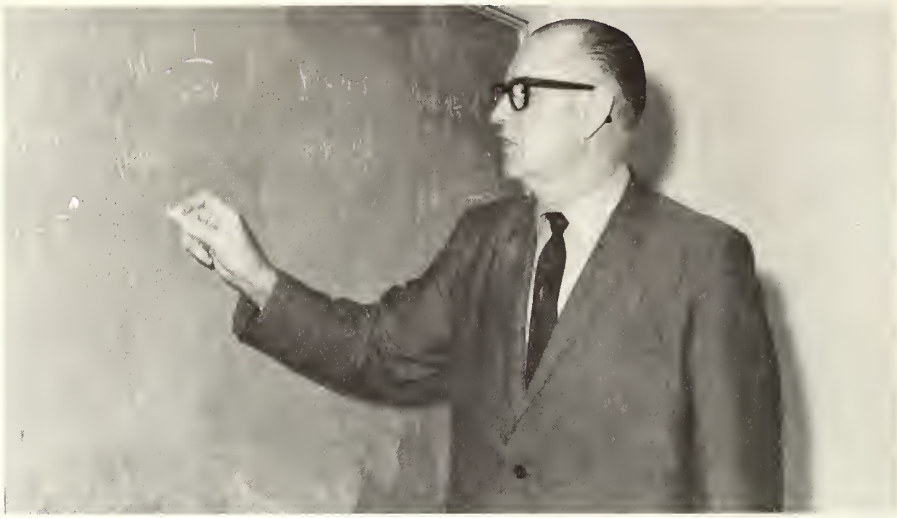
Mr. William David Patton, audio-visual aids director, and Mr. Bruce Lindsay, audio-visual clerk.



Mr. Patton assists John Lambert.

Math Symbols Hold The Future

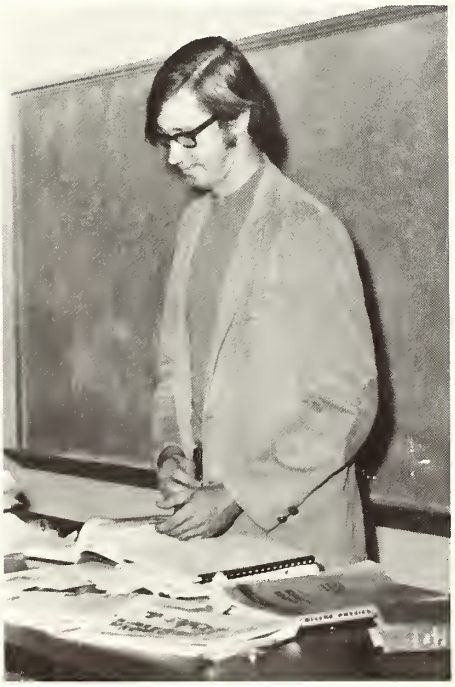
The realm of mathematics can be used in any profession, and at least three hours of math credit is required for graduation from Rend Lake. Courses offered range from computational math, for students who haven't shown a marked ability in mathematics, to integral calculus and differential equations for the more advanced students.



Mr. William Myers, head of Mathematics Department, explains the function of "x" in college algebra.

The spring semester saw the introduction of elementary statistics, a course combining sociology, psychology, economics and math. The purpose of the course in applied statistics is to assist the individual in performing and understanding scientific investigations.

Mr. Julian J. Levesque ponders an assignment to be given to his algebra class.



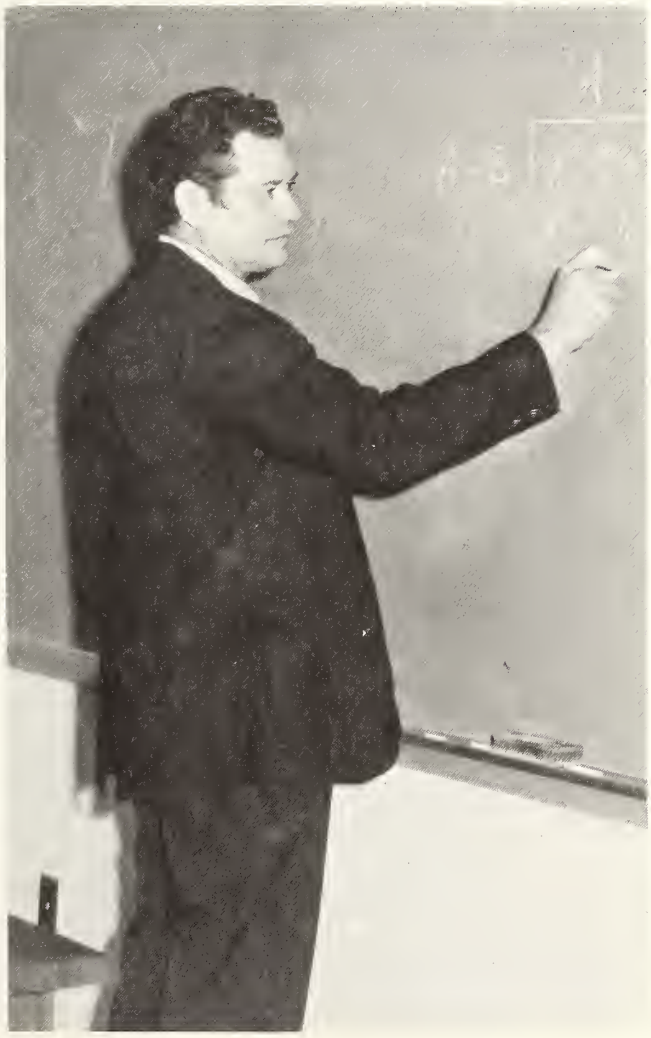
Mr. Proffitt scans through his physics text.

Practice makes perfect is still, and always will be, the rule as these math students know all too well.

Mr. Ronald Ray Proffitt, Rend Lake College's new physics and trigonometry instructor, discusses a test result with Sherry Wilson.

Mr. Perrachione explains a math problem to Cynthia Taylor.

Trig students ponder the complexities of advanced mathematics.



Mr. Richard Perrachione illustrates a division problem in college algebra.

Music Department Offers More Courses Than Ever Before

Percussion players Chuck Davis and Brent Hahn wait out rests while other orchestra members play on.

Bruce Lindsay and Rodney Davis demonstrate the need for concentration in instrument playing.

Janet Raney benefits from Mr. William J. Hazelbauer's voice instruction to David Davis. Mr. Hazelbauer is chairman of the music department.

Music appreciation instructor, Mr. Larry D. Phifer, discusses a technical music term with his students.

The Music Department has a wide variety of courses to offer students at RLC. From band, chorus, and private lessons for the musically minded; to music theory for music majors.

J. B. Dodds and Nathan McClintock discuss music theory with Mr. Larry D. Phifer, RLC's new music instructor.

Mr. Phifer, voice and music appreciation.

Start Out Walking And Learn To Run —

Men's and Women's Physical Education

Miss Rebecca Petitt explains the bone structure of the arm to health students.

Physical education courses are required for those wishing to graduate from RLC. Besides the physical fitness course; volleyball, basketball, badminton, golf, tennis, and archery are offered. Due to repairs, the new gymnasium was not available for classes until the first of November.

Mr. Wayne Arnold, P.E. instructor.

Doing sit-ups is just one of the many rigorous exercises required of students in the men's physical fitness class.

Physical education students finally put into practice the classroom principles of physical fitness.

Health . . . "the complete physical, social, and mental well-being of an individual, not merely the absence of disease."

Causes of alcoholism is one of the topics in Mr. James E. Waugh's health class.

Miss Petitt's health students move on to further studies.

RPN's Help Provide Healthful Horizons

Mrs. June Thompson demonstrates to Betty Hawthorn the correct way to use a hypodermic syringe.

Mrs. Mary E. Ksycki, department head, correctly measures medicine for her students.

Mrs. Shirley McHaney tells students Miss Champ and Mrs. Shook the correct way to care for the elderly.

Mrs. Shirley Yeargin supervises as students Mrs. Neal and Miss Brown take a patient's blood pressure.

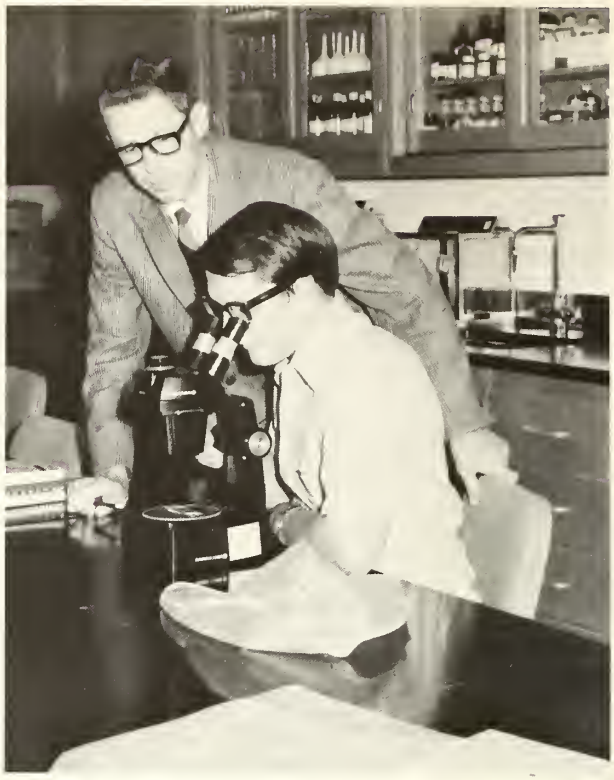
Mrs. Yeargin and Mrs. McHaney check through a patient's records.

The practical nursing program outlines the duties and limitations of a practical nurse and her place in the medical profession. The school of nursing is located at the old campus in Mt. Vernon.

Mrs. Karen Muench, practical nursing instructor

Science Is Knowledge Thru Study, Practice

Chemistry students experiment for themselves in the new college lab.



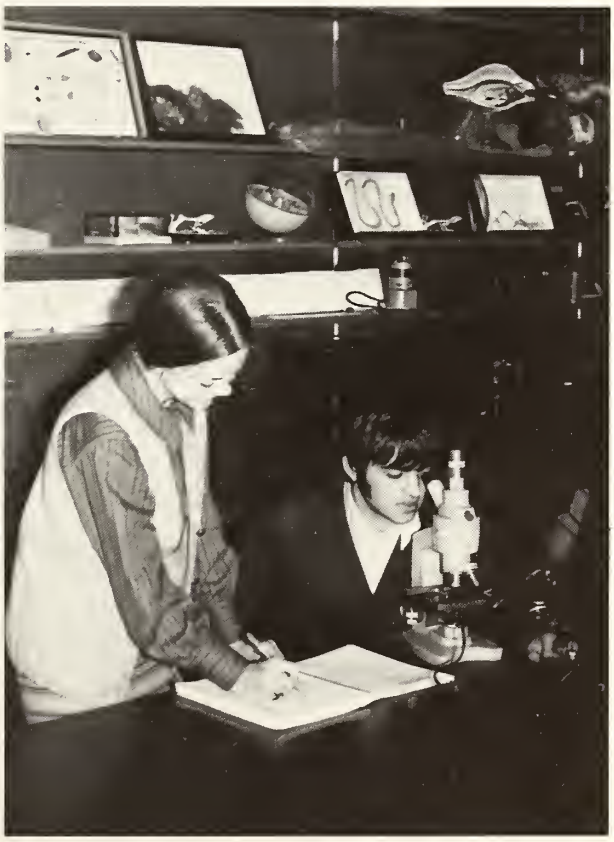
Botany instructor Dr. Eugene T. Estes and Mike Beekn focus in cellulose on the microscope. The science department has survived the turmoil of moving into and setting up their brand new labs on a brand new campus.

Jill Erkman and Herman Braden look on as Mr. Julius R. Swayne, zoology instructor, describes the anatomy of an opossum.

As well as a new atmosphere, new equipment has been added to the science department this year. Equipped with everything from test tubes to microscopes, the science department offers Zoology, Botany, and Chemistry to Rend Lake College students. Laboratory exercises, experiments and field trips supplement lectures.

Chairman of the science department, Mr. Edward P. Kownacki, measures the mass of a cigarette lighter with the new electrical analytical machine.

Debbie Kelly and Brian Bruce look over a zoology problem.



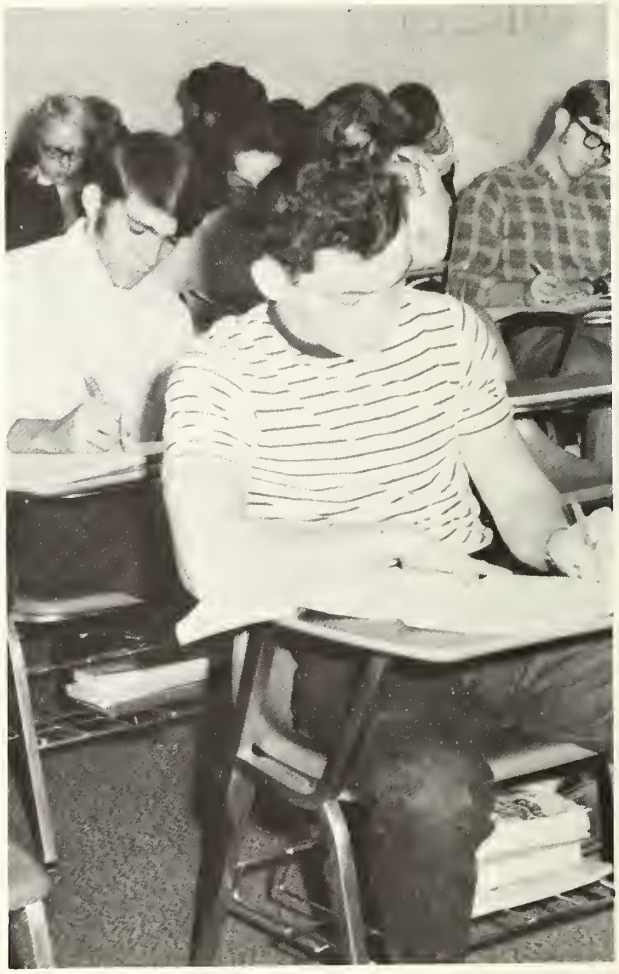
Social Science Department Offers Many Roads

The introduction to social science, with a general sociological perspective, covers history, political science, and social psychology. Students wanting specialization in the above-mentioned fields may take political science, introduction to psychology, introduction to sociology and Afro-American, American, Asian, and European history.

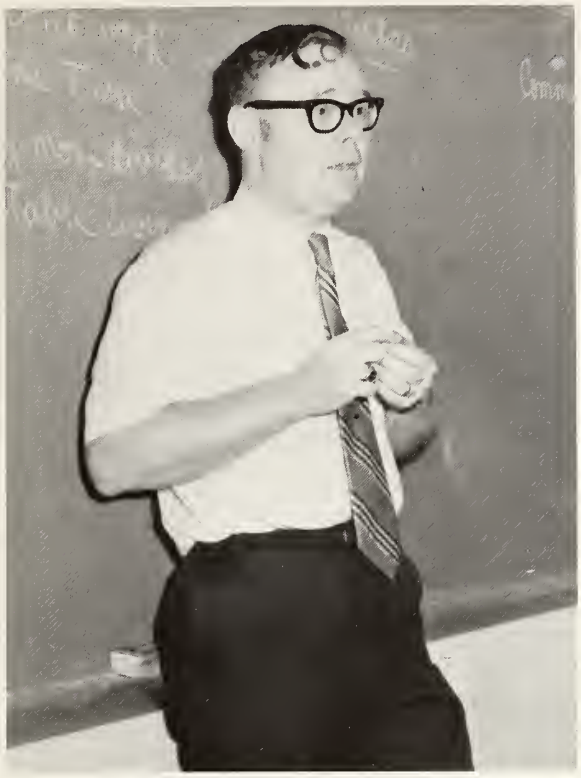
Also offered in this department is geography, which concerns the study of the world's natural habitats.

Social science students Lona Bennett and Larry Wright listen attentively as LLoydell Mays points the discussion in a new direction.

Mr. Max E. Brandon, geography and political science instructor.



Sociology requires a thorough study of human behavior as a group.



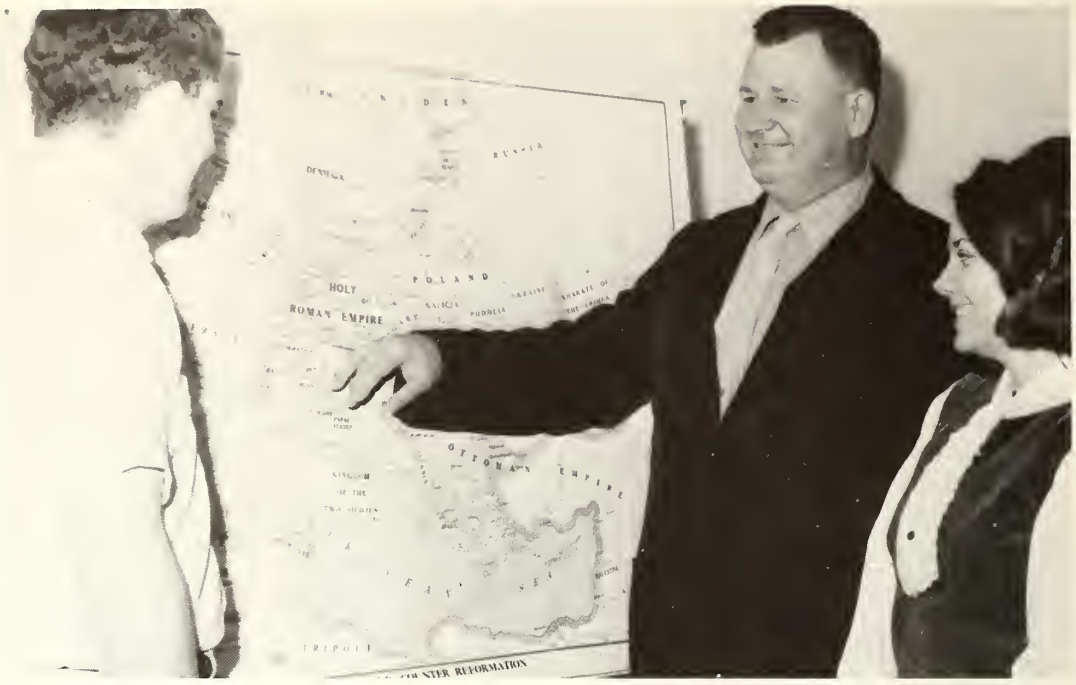
Dr. Richard Doherty, head of the Social Science Department.

Psychology student Steve Woodrome employs a trumpet to demonstrate a unique teaching method.

Psychology and Sociology are concerned with human behavioral aspects.

Shortage of classrooms made it necessary for Mr. E. Judson DeWitt, psychology instructor, to use both the science and academic buildings.

Last spring, Mrs. Eleanor Hall, sociology instructor, received the Distinguished Educator of the Year Award from Phi Theta Kappa.



Harmon Braden and Diane Clark look on as Mr. Vincent Cain, RLC's newest European history instructor, points out divisions of the Holy Roman Empire.

Mr. Arthur Samford clarifies an American history term.

Mr. Robert Jones, history instructor.

ORGANIZATIONS

Dr. Eugene Estes, campus sponsor, President Quetta Webb, and Rev. Everett Lemay, pastor of the Park Avenue Baptist Church, provide leadership for the year's BSU activities.

The BSU officers are (seated) Don MacKenzie, Vice-President; Quetta Webb, President; (standing) Phillip Greer, Treasurer; and Carl Wilson, Secretary.

Baptist Student Union brings all denominations together

The Baptist Student Union, sponsored by the Southern Baptist Convention, offers a chance for RLC students of all denominations to rap about the problems and opportunities of a Christian on the college campus.

The BSU strives to help the college student share his faith through many activities. These include youth revival teams and group recreation.

The main activity is trying to raise $350 to help sponsor college students as missionaries during the summer break.

Members listen as a guest speaker relates the importance of witness on campus.

Members: Jay DeWitt, Don Harrison, Bob Hobbs, Kipp Proefrock, Warren Kraft, Jean Derges, Thurmond Drennan, and Karen Book.

Speech And Drama Club Presents Spoon River

The newly organized Speech and Drama Club, sponsored by Miss Cheryl Merkens, provides activities for those interested in theatrical arts. This year the club presented "Spoon River Anthology," in addition to the participation of many club members in "The Ballad of the Sad Cafe" and the spring musical, "Mame."

Officers: Bob Hobbs, President; Kipp Proefrock, Vice-President; and Warren Kraft, Secretary-Treasurer.

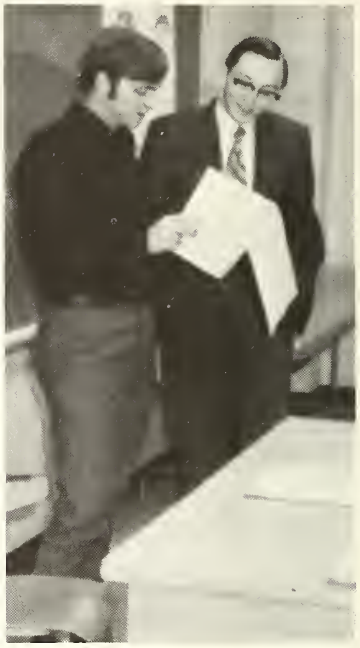
Business Club

backs varied activities

After it had only just begun, Phi Theta Lambda sold Christmas trees and provided a giant tree for the Oasis. PTL also sponsored a dance for the student body and planned other activities for the year.

Marketing principles are one of the areas of discussion among the members of the Business Club. Phi Theta Lambda members are: seated, Terry Pasley and Kathy Izard; first row, David Harms, Linda Cates, Don Gulley; second row, Pam Phipps, Jill Erkman, Reva Maxey; third row, Mr. Younghusband, sponsor, Steve Woodrome, Ron Buchholz and Jim Owens.

Ron Buchholz collaborates with Mr. Younghusband to plan future club events.



The PTL was responsible for decorating the huge Christmas tree placed in the Oasis.

Club officers, Linda Cates, treasurer; Ron Buchholz, President; Jim Owens, Vice President; and Kathy Izard, secretary, pause to pose for a picture.

PTK — For Those With High Grades

Sherry Wilson, president, reads the initiation creed at the PTK fall induction ceremony.

Phi Theta Kappa is a national honor society for American junior colleges promoting scholarship, development of leadership, and service. PTK is in charge of concessions at Warrior basketball games and awards the Distinguished Educator's Award to a deserving faculty member at the end of the school year.

Two initiation ceremonies are held each year - one in the fall and the other in the spring. Students must earn a 3.5 grade point average and maintain a 3.2 grade average to be invited to join.

Officers are Sherry Wilson, president; Debbie Aldridge, vice president; Tonya Ford, secretary; and Randy Depoister, treasurer.

Sponsor, Myron Foley, assists David Junkins, Debbie Aldridge, and Sherry Wilson at the concession stand.

SEA Booksale Stirs Penny-Pinchers To Action

The Student Education Association, sponsored by Mrs. Imogene I. Book, is an organization for those interested in the teaching profession.

At the beginning of each semester, the SEA conducts the used book sale. Other SEA activities this year included showing a series of slides called "Impact" at the DMZ coffee house for area high school students, and attending the SIEA spring conference at Springfield.

SEA sponsor Imogene Book and officers Joyce Barr, Jean Derges, Karen Book, and Carol Patton hold an executive council meeting before meeting with other members below.

SEA members, Janice Webb, Joyce Barr, Carol Patton, Jean Derges, Karen Book, Valerie Brown, Jan Briley, and sponsor Mrs. Book.

Sophomore representatives Nancy Dilley, Bill Moore, Kathleen Kenny, and Jerry Walker (kneeling) were elected in the spring so that they may serve the entire year as well as throughout the summer.

Student Senate President Bill Moore consults with advisor Mrs. Betty Ward.

Student Senate

The Student Senate, government for RLC students, has attempted to solve many of the immediate problems occurring on the new campus as well as discussing long range problems such as the budgets for publications and plans for graduation. The annual Christmas Dance, Spring Formal, freshman orientation, and convocations are included in the Senate's activities.

Representatives at large Nathan McClintock, Diane Edmison, and Bob Frick (standing) were elected by campaigning in a convocation assembly.

Elected in the fall by the student body as freshman representatives were Brett Gibbs, Diane Clark, Jean Beth Dodds and Jesse Bee.

The Pressing Times Prints Campus Views

The Pressing Times is the RLC student newspaper published by interested members of the student body. Although the main purpose of the publication is to provide journalistic experience for students, it also provides an historical record as well as keeping students informed on current campus events. Serving as advisor to the staff this year is Dr. Evelyn Claxton, who is our new English instructor.

This year the "PT" sent two delegates to the College Press Service Convention at the University of Wisconsin, and also sponsored a visit by the Red Cross Bloodmobile. In addition, the PT staff published a student directory.

Editorial Board members Sara Dykes, Debbie Aldridge (sitting), and David Junkins discuss good layout design with Dr. Claxton.

Columnists Rick Nance, Debbie Aldridge, David Junkins, and John Kraft (not available for the picture), add a unique approach to articles featured in the PT.

Junior staff members Ron Buchholz, Warren Kraft, Janet Waggoner, and Karen Book (L-R) are responsible for reporting club and feature news articles.

Senior PT staff members Nancy Dilley, Joette Davison (sitting), Debbie Aldridge, David Junkins, Jeannie Miller, John Kraft, Linda French, and Paula Ferguson are responsible for the basic makeup of the paper.

EDITOR-IN-CHIEF - - - - - - - - Rick Nance
CIRCULATION MANAGER - - - Nancy Dilley
EDITORIAL STAFF - - - - - - - - Sara Dykes, Debbie Aldridge, David Junkins
NEWS EDITOR - - - - - - - - - Paula Ferguson
SENIOR STAFF - - - - - - - - Joette Davison, Kathleen Kenney, Jeannie Miller, Bill Moore, John Kraft, Nathan McClintock
REPORTERS - - - - - - - - - - Sydney Stotlar, Sheryl Guyton, Keith Parker, Janet Waggoner, Debby Jones, Chuck Davis, Diane Edmison, Ron Buchholz, Warren Kraft, Karen Book

Editor Rick Nance relaxes a minute after completing another issue of the **Pressing Times**

Nancy, Linda, Joette, and Jeannie revise copy for the next paper.

Pages couldn't have been finished without assistants: Pam Phipps, Denise Biggerstaff, Kathy Schalter; Back, Tom Scherer, Diane Edmison, and Ron Buchholz.

The editors who worked to meet dreaded deadlines are: Warren Kraft, (front), (l to r) Jay DeWitt, Sherry Sigwerth, Linda Mays, Janet Waggoner, Dianne Hill, and Jackie Kennedy.

Sherry Sigwerth has had the duo job of being business manager and copy editor. Photo and layout editor, Dianne Hill, employed creative ideas for this year's TARN.

Advisor, Mr. William T. Brammeier, spent much of his valuable time working with the TARN staff.

Editor Jean Derges concentrated to make this the best yearbook ever at RLC.

Being responsible for all yearbook pictures, Tarn photographers Jim Dodds and Dale Filberth were never seen around campus without their cameras.

Tarn Staff Incorporates New Ideas

Centrally located for all staff members, the Tarn office has been a busy place. Though smaller than the space provided in the old campus, the new office, situated in the Oasis Building, has far more pleasant surroundings needed for concentration in meeting deadlines.

RLC's yearbook has the main purpose of recording yearly events concerning the administration, faculty, and most important, the student body.

Editors and assistants are working diligently to meet their first deadline.

SOBU
Promotes Unity

Student Organization of Black Unit y (SOBU), a newly organized club, meets once a week. Anyone who wishes to be included in their discussions are welcomed to attend the meetings. One main intention of SOBU is to improve relationships between white and black, beginning at home and hopefully spreading throughout the world. To open up channels of communication between the black community and RLC is the Clubs' goal.

Alexander Wright, Linda Mays, Mr. Kangles, and Belton Caldwell (background) are interested in a discussion at the meeting.

Student organizers are: 1st row, Rolando T. Smith, Louise Porter, Teresa Harris, Rose Ann Spells, Shirlyn Farris, Linda Mays, Jean Gordon, and standing are: Lloydell Mays, John Moore, Harold Morrison, Warren Long, Alexander Wright, Bolton Caldwell, Cleo Holt, Otis Guell, and Sponsor Jim Kangles.

Veteran's Club Has An Active Year

The number of veterans returning to school each year is growing, and thus, the growing of the Veterans Club. This year the Vets Club has been involved in various activities aiding and entertaining many people. The club's collection of canned goods distributed to the needy enabled many people to enjoy a merrier Christmas. During semester break, the Vets sponsored a dance at the Mt. Vernon Armory featuring REO Speedwagon and Coal Kitchen. The profit from the dance supplied money for the club's relief fund for needy veterans. The Vets also conducted the November Veteran's Day Convocation.

Members present are (seated) Jerry Blackward, Doug Hatchett, Kenny Pigg, Bill Ramsey, Duane Yaeger, John Payne, Jack Page, Jim Dodds, and Virgil Payne.

Officers are Jerry Blackward, Jack Page, Virgil Payne, Steve Evanchik, and Duane Yaeger. At right sponsors are Mr. Swain, Mr. Samford, and Mr. Waugh.

REO Speedwagon playing for the Benefit Dance, which was a huge success.

Janet Raney, Beth Nance, Debbie Brown, Andrea Lalumondier, Lynette (Myles) Hawthorne, and Dianne Hill were chosen by the basketball players, club officers, and Student Senate to be this year's Warrior Cheerleaders. Debbie if from Benton with the rest being from Mt. Vernon. The girls' persistent faith in the basketball boys helped to lead the RLC team to victory.

Cheerleaders Inspire Warriors And Fans To Action In New RLC Gym

The high-flying cheerleaders demonstrate their energetic spirit from the sidelines.

Urging the Warriors to make two more points is Andrea Lalumondier.

Debbie, Dianne, Janet, and Andrea seem to be amused at a new move Miss Pettit is suggesting.

ACTIVITIES

Miss Petitt shows her badminton class the way to serve the birdie.

Coach Jim Waugh takes time out to show Tish Scherer and Jim Filberth the correct way to hold a golf club.

Physical Education Classes Offer A Variety Of Sport Activities

Miss Petitt's archery class stands ready to fire.

Spring Musical

Once Upon a Mattress

Finishes The 1970 Season

The King, played by Mike Sanders, explains to the Prince, played by Mike Jones, about the birds and the bees.

YOUNG LADIES IN WAITING AND THE KNIGHTS. LADIES: Debbie Pullis, Joette Davison, Sara Dykes, Angie Garner, (Princess) Cecilia Kirkpatrick, Jane Cox, Kathleen Kenney, Mary Galbreath. KNIGHTS: Larry White, Mike Howerton, David Gilbert, Mike Jones (Prince), Bob Bigham, Steve Jackson, Warren Kraft, Nathan McClintock.

Once Upon a Mattress, Rend Lake College's 1970 Spring Musical, was a great success. The play, a comical farce, was based on the fairy tale, The Princess and the Pea. The stage production was directed by Miss Cheryl Merkens. The Orchestra was under the direction of Mr. Wm. Hazelbauer, and the chorus was under the supervision of Mr. Charles Render.

The Princess passes the sensitivity test, the hen-pecked King stands up to the Queen, and everyone lives happily ever after.

Eager to see the Princess, "Fred" doesn't wait for the drawbridge, but swims the moat, for her introduction to the Queen.

The Queen and the Wizard decide to use a sensitivity test to deceive the Princess.

Spring Formal 1970 Was The Time Of The Signs

Retiring Queen Kathy Herzing crowns Janice Eater as the new Spring Formal Queen.

Queen Janice, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Eater of Mt. Vernon, smiles radiantly after being crowned Queen of the Spring Formal. During her years at Rend Lake College, she was an officer in SEA and she served as an Orientation leader. Janice also acted as a teacher's aide at West Salem Grade School. She is now attending Eastern Illinois University where her majors are English and Botany.

The Queen and her court from left to right: Verna Auxier, Debbie Pullis, Queen Janice Eater, Vickie La Lumondier, Joyce Dillingham, Linda Atchison.

Rend Lake couples danced to the melodies of the George Johnson Orchestra. Decorations were based on the twelve zodiac signs with emphasis on "Age of Aquarius."

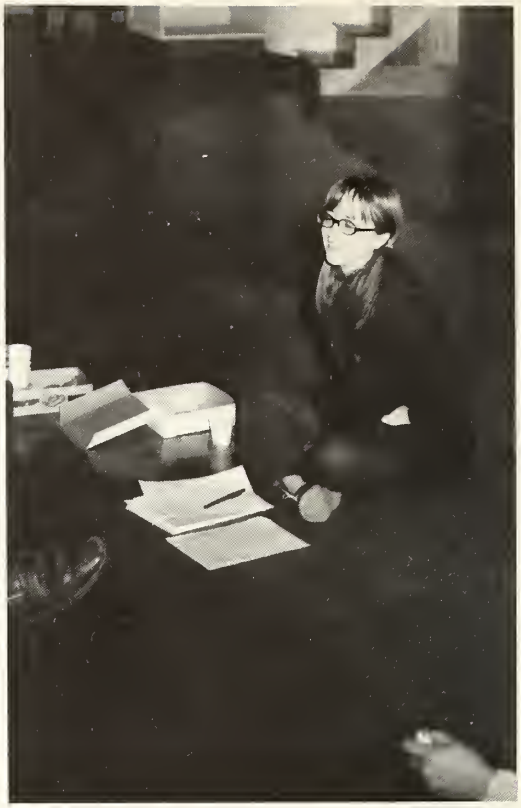
A moment of togetherness.

This Years Play.

The Ballad Of The Sad Cafe

This year's drama, "The Ballad of the Sad Cafe" was Rend Lake's first production after the move to the new campus. However, since the facilities were limited, the play was held in Mt. Vernon Township High School's auditorium.

The play, Edward Abee's adaptation of a movella by Carson McCullers, was about three kinds of love. It concerned Marvin Macy's love for the maculine Miss Amelia, Lymon, and Cousin Lymon's hero-worship type of love for Marvin Macy. The love triangle, threatened by past events, was finally destroyed in a confrontation between Miss Amelia and Marvin Macy. In the end Miss Amelia was left, alone, to hide upstairs in her cafe.



Miss Cheyrl Merkins, director of "The Ballad of the Sad Cafe," relaxes after a hard rehearsal.

Miss Amelia (Diane Ferreira) when questioned by the townspeople, defends Cousin.

The narrator, Sara Dykes.

"Jus' you try it Mr. Marvin Macy (Keith Parker)," bellowed Miss Amelia, (Diane Ferreria).

Marvin Macy (Keith Parker) shows his useful qualities to Miss Amelia (Diane Ferriera).

Busybody, Merle Ryan (Jay DeWitt) tells it all to Emma Hale (Marte Huff).

And When The Evening Comes — We Smile

Tears of overflowing joy stream down Kathleen Kenney's cheeks as the dream of being Christmas Queen becomes a reality.

Miss Kathleen Kenney, sophomore, was crowned 1970 Christmas Queen. Queen Kathleen has been one of the most active persons in campus activities in the last two years.

The tears vanish and a lovely smile appears, after being crowned the new Christmas Queen.

THE QUEEN AND HER COURT: (left to right) Linda Mays, Dianne Hill, Nancy Dilley, Queen Kathleen Kenney, Debbie Burns, Jean Beth Dodds, and Janet Raney.

1970 Rend Lake College Christmas Dance

Other couples join the Queen's court as the band plays the Queen's song, Cherish.

Rend Lake College Christmas Dance was held for the first time in the college gym on December 19th. A brightly decorated gym, the season's aura of good cheer, and the lively sounds of the Tami People constituted an enjoyable evening for everyone.

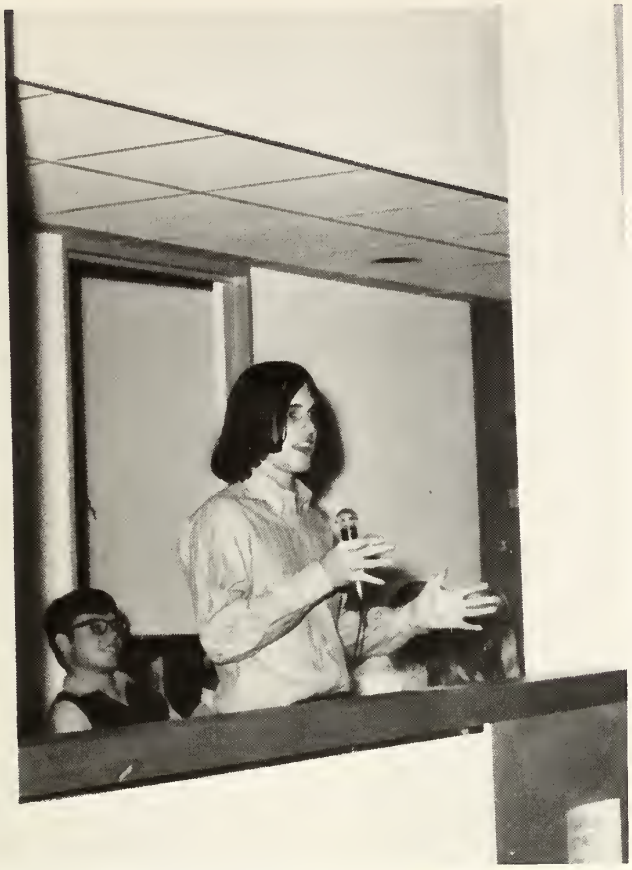
Duane Yaeger, Virgil Payne, and Jack Page represent the Rend Lake Veteran's Association in the annual Veteran's Day Assembly.

Convocations Delve Into Unusual Subject Areas.

CONVOCATIONS

Student Senate	Sept.
Russ Burgess	Nov.
Christmas	Dec.
SEA Panel Discussion	Jan.
Student Senate	Feb.

Backstage during the Student Senate convocation.



Sophomore Bob Frick tells how he will help the student body if elected for the Student Senate.

Kathy Izard assists Mr. Russ Burgess, an ESP expert, in a convocation sponsored by the Student Senate.

Faculty and students discuss the possibility of a no cut system for RLC students in a panel discussion.

Convocations Sponsored By Various Organizations At R.L.C.

COME ALIVE DANCE-FRIDAY NITE MTV

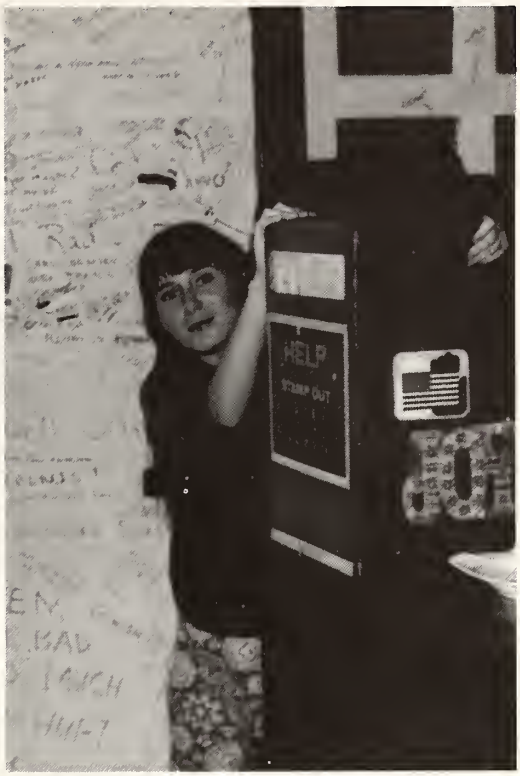
Informal Dances Highlight RLC School Year

A well-known rock group, the REO Speedwagon, provided music for the Vets Club "Come Alive" dance.

A sock hop after the game creates a relaxing atmosphere.

"A kiss for luck and we're on our way."

SIU Folksingers, John and Greg, provided entertainment at the Coffee House.



DMZ Treasurer, Sherry Sigwerth

DMZ Completes First Year

Togetherness can be found at the DMZ.

Team: front row (left to right): Mike Whalen, Ed Case, Bob Rusiewski, Dennis Anderton, Dick Petrea, Don Smith, Rick Bailey, Back Row: Chap Waters, Kim Hall, Tom Odum, Terry Sledge, Steve McReynolds, Frank Sanders, Ed Donoho.

Coach Wayne Arnold

R.L.C. Warriors 1970-71

Pressing, ballhawking, and rebounding, the Rend Lake Warriors finished their regular season's play with seventeen losses and eight wins.

This year's squad, coached by Jim Waugh and Wayne Arnold, had the assistance of four managers: Bill Block, Tom Taylor, Carl Skorch, and Roger Treece.

Coach Jim Waugh

Sophomore Steve McReynolds uses his height and ability to get the tip.

Frank Sanders scores two points against John A. Logan College.

Gayla Bacon makes two points for the Squaws in the John A. Logan game.

For The First Time, A Women's Basketball Team Is Formed At RLC!

Donna McDonald tries for a basket.

CLASSES

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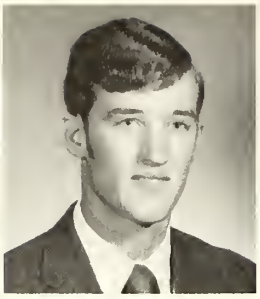
Adams
Christopher
Sophomore



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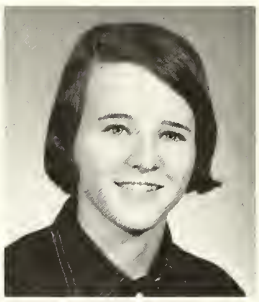

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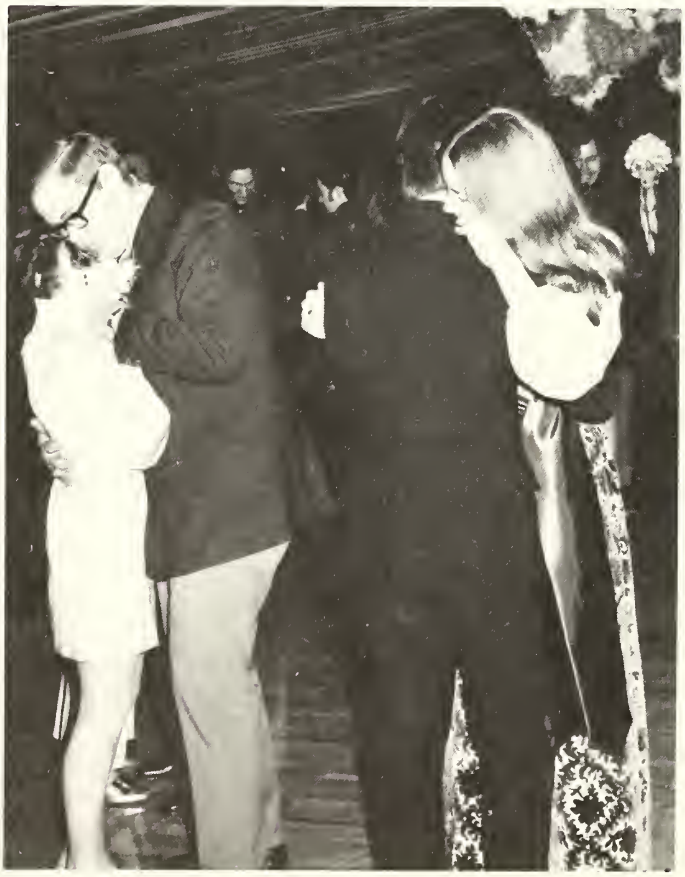

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Marion
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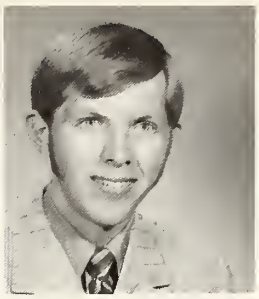

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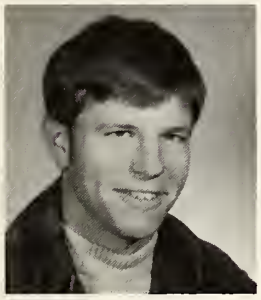

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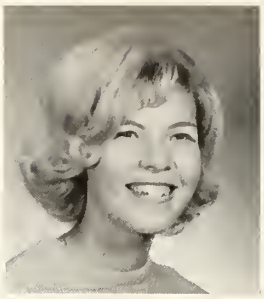

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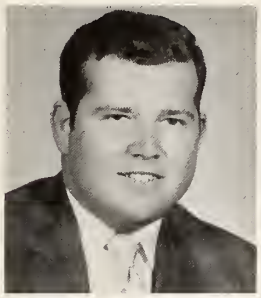

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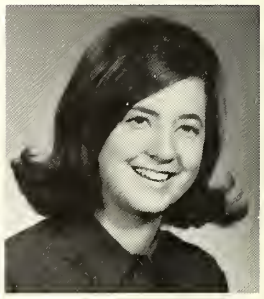

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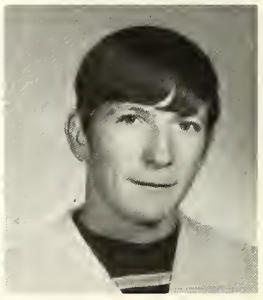

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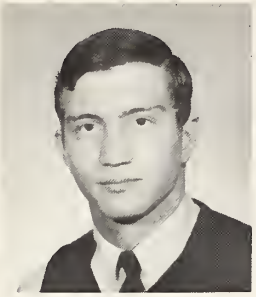

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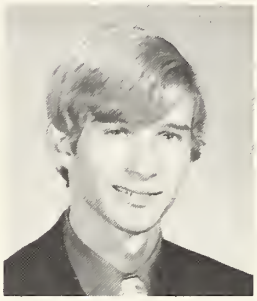

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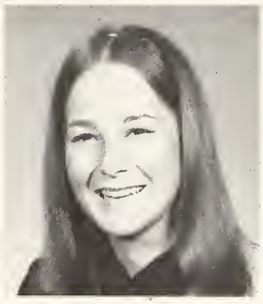

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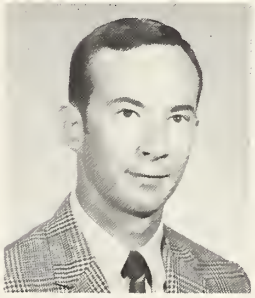

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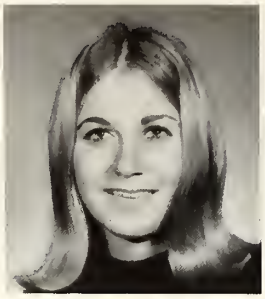

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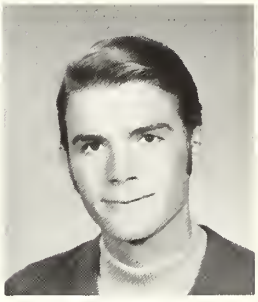

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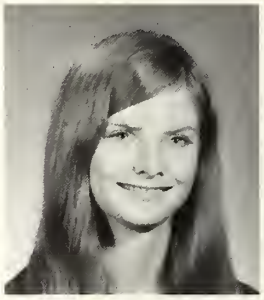

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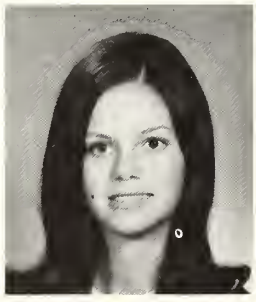

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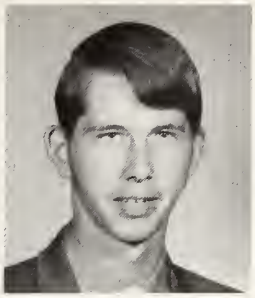

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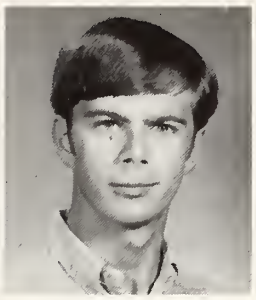

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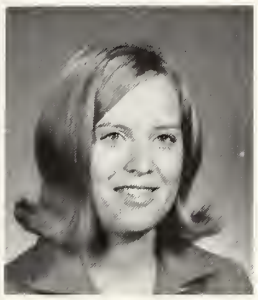

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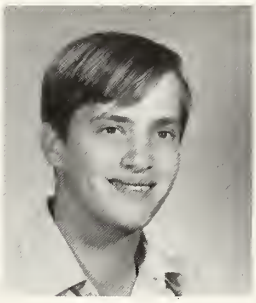

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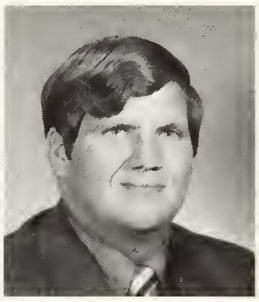

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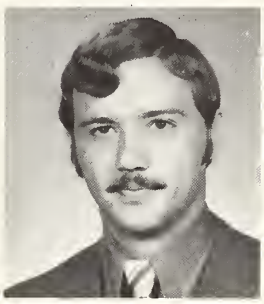

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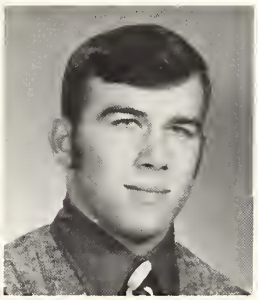

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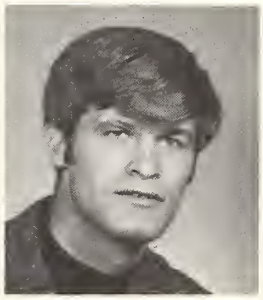

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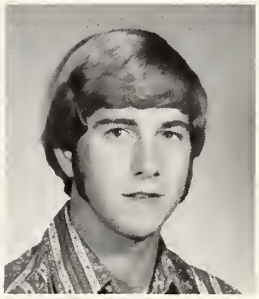

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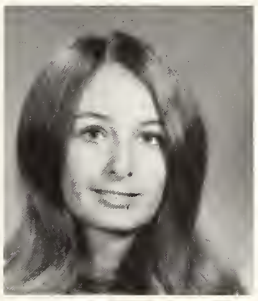

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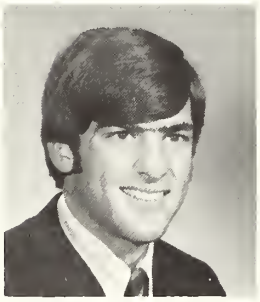

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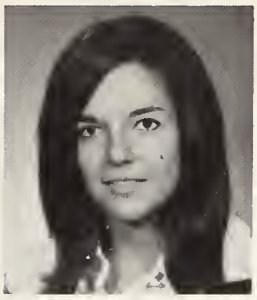

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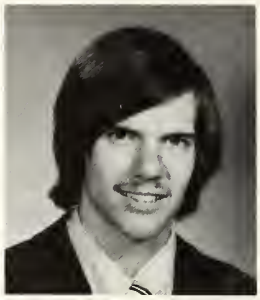

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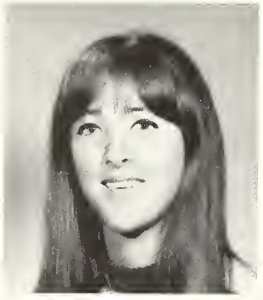

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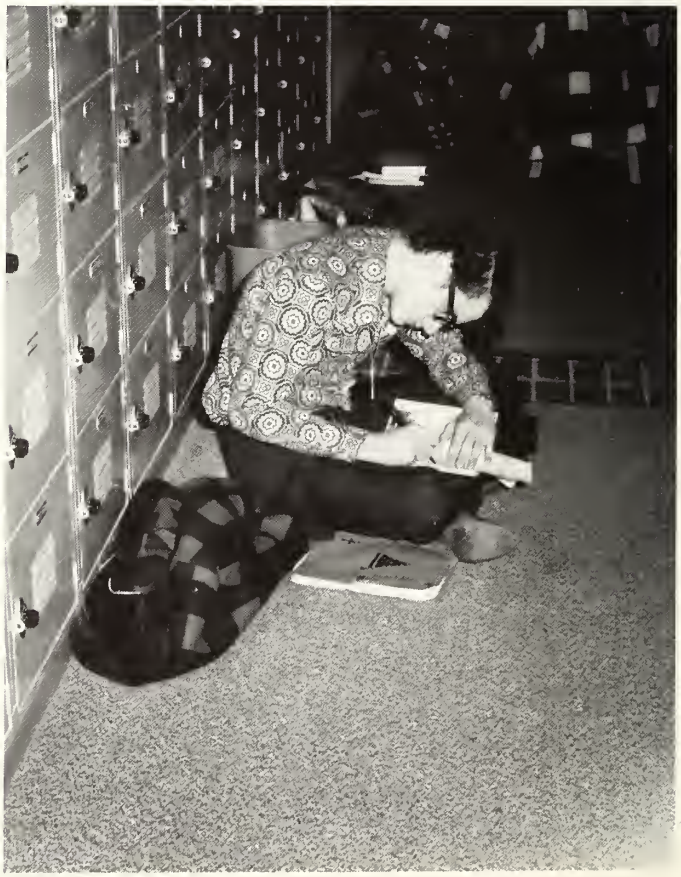

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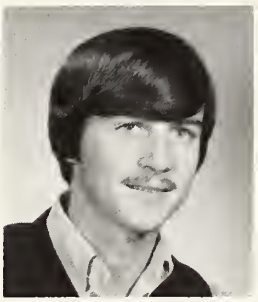

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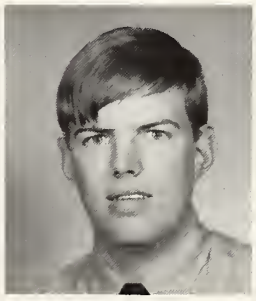

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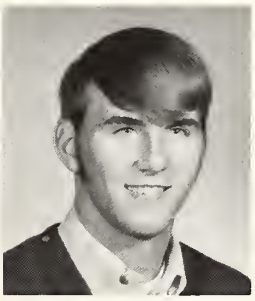

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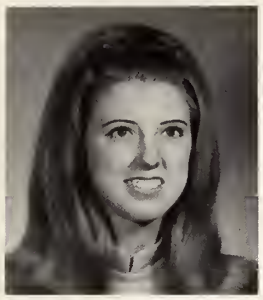

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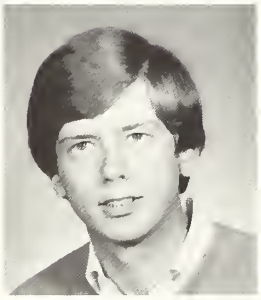

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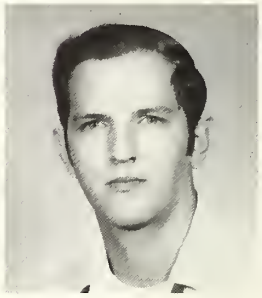

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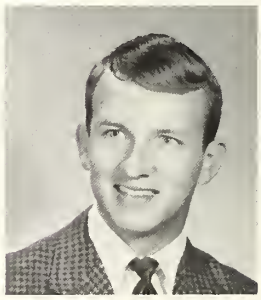

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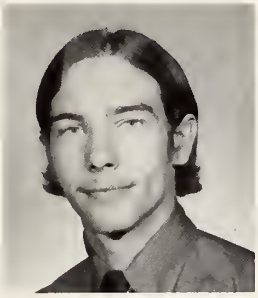

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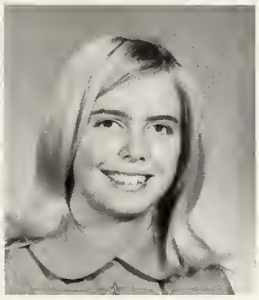

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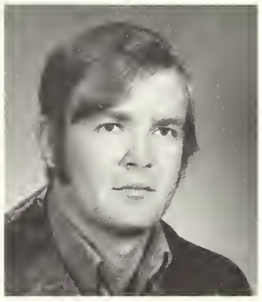

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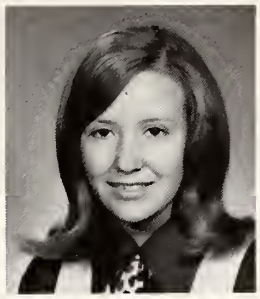

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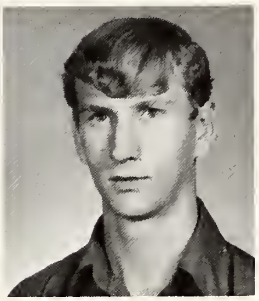

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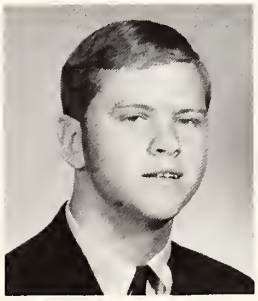

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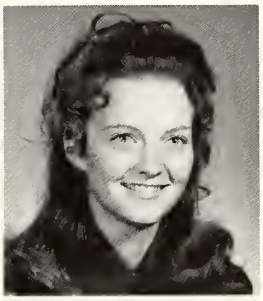

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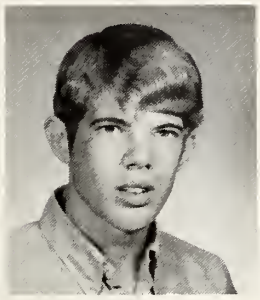

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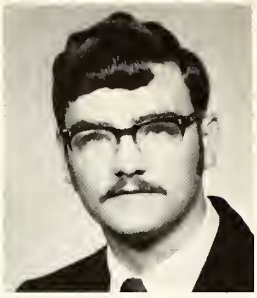

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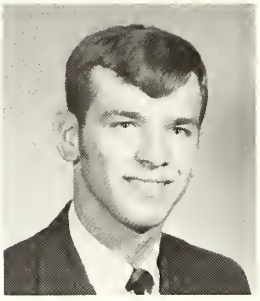

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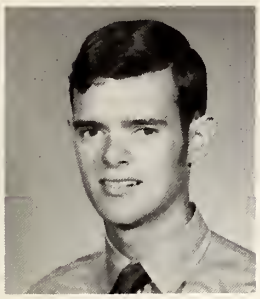

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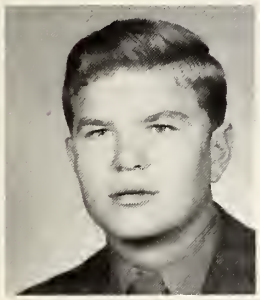

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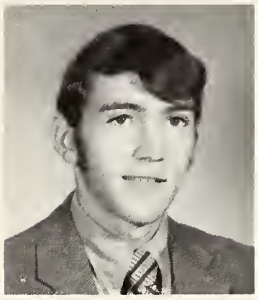

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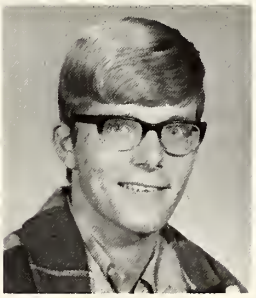

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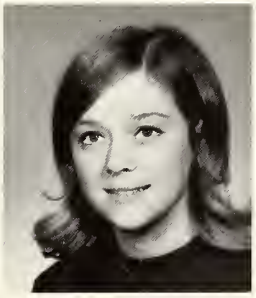

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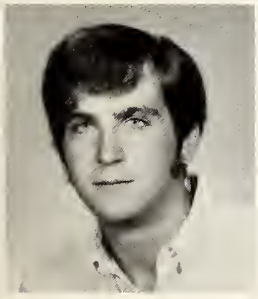

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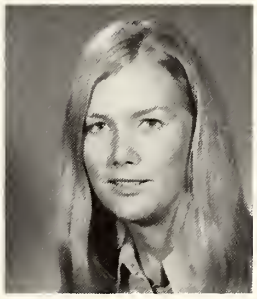

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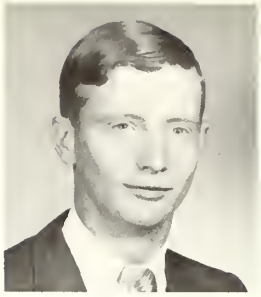

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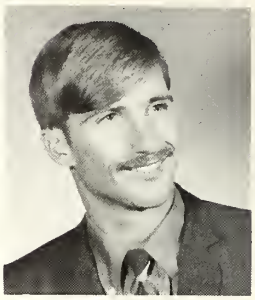

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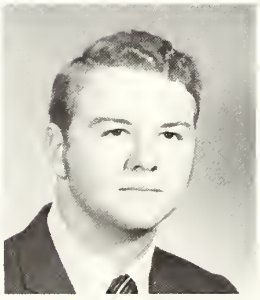

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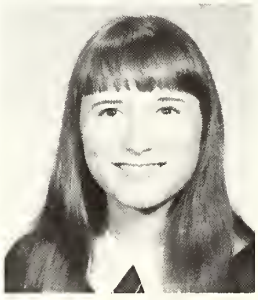

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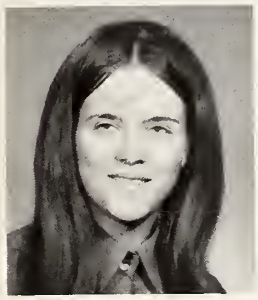

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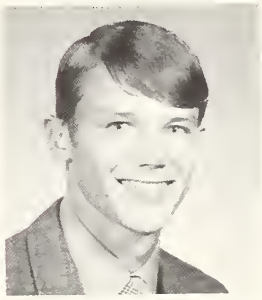

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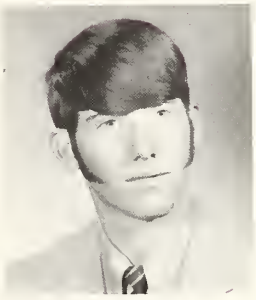

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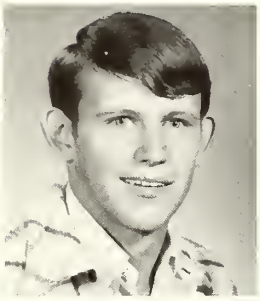

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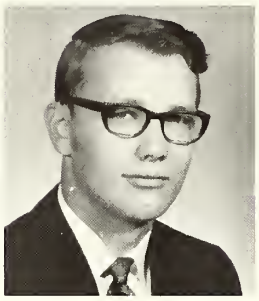

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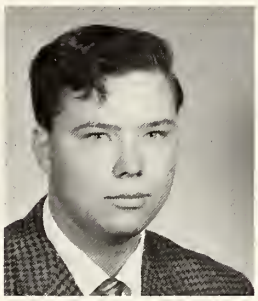

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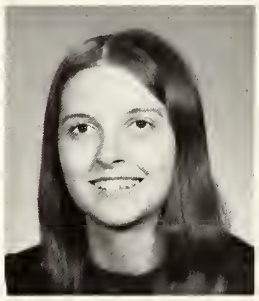

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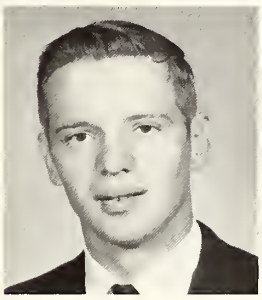

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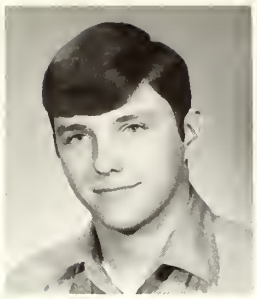

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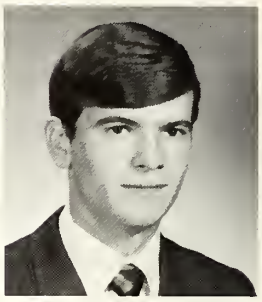

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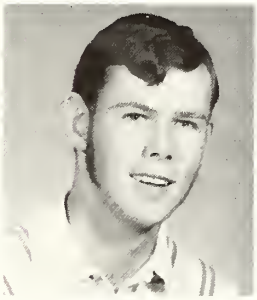

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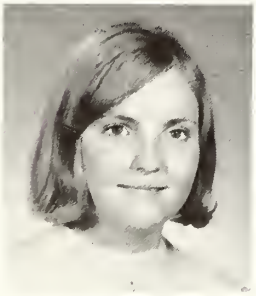

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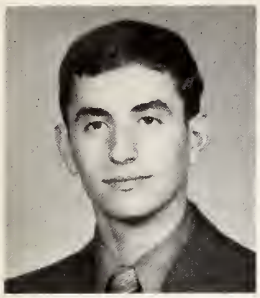

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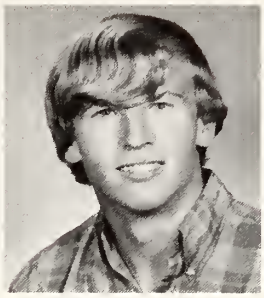

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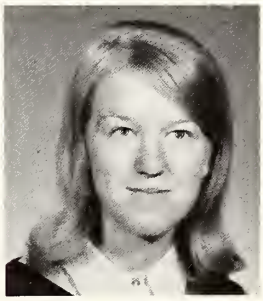

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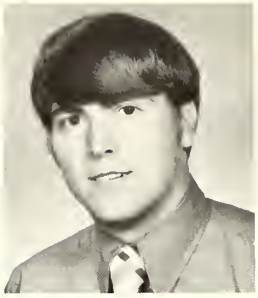

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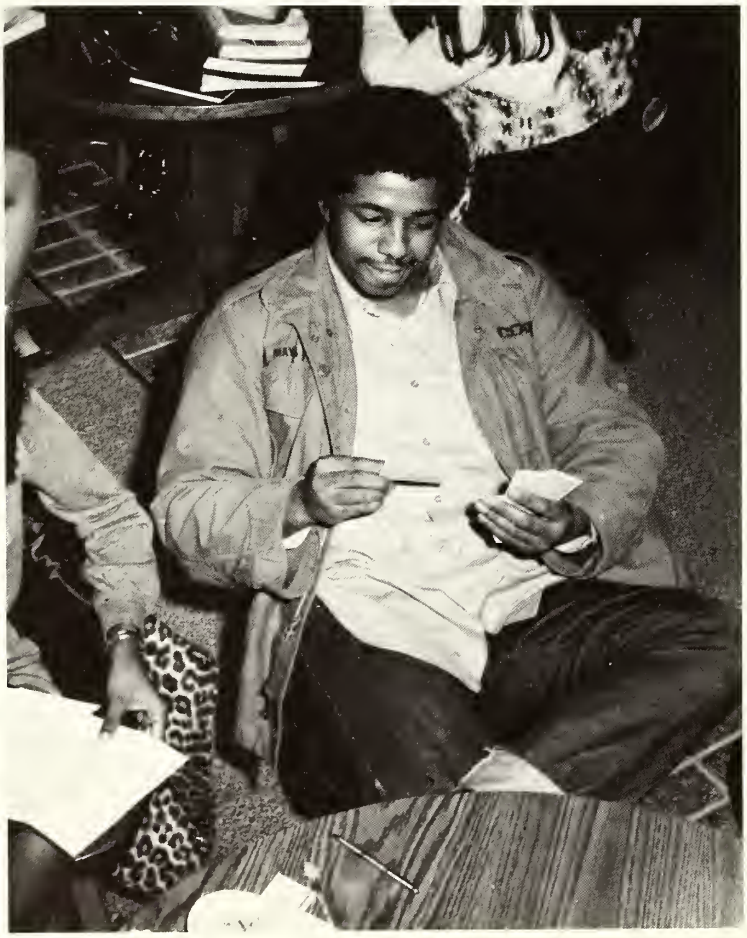

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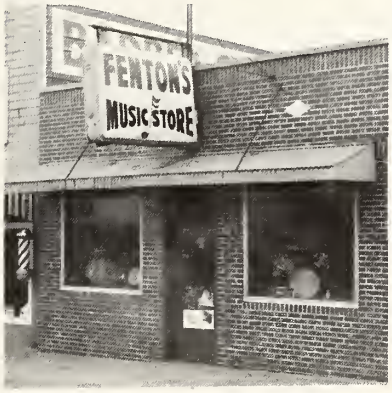

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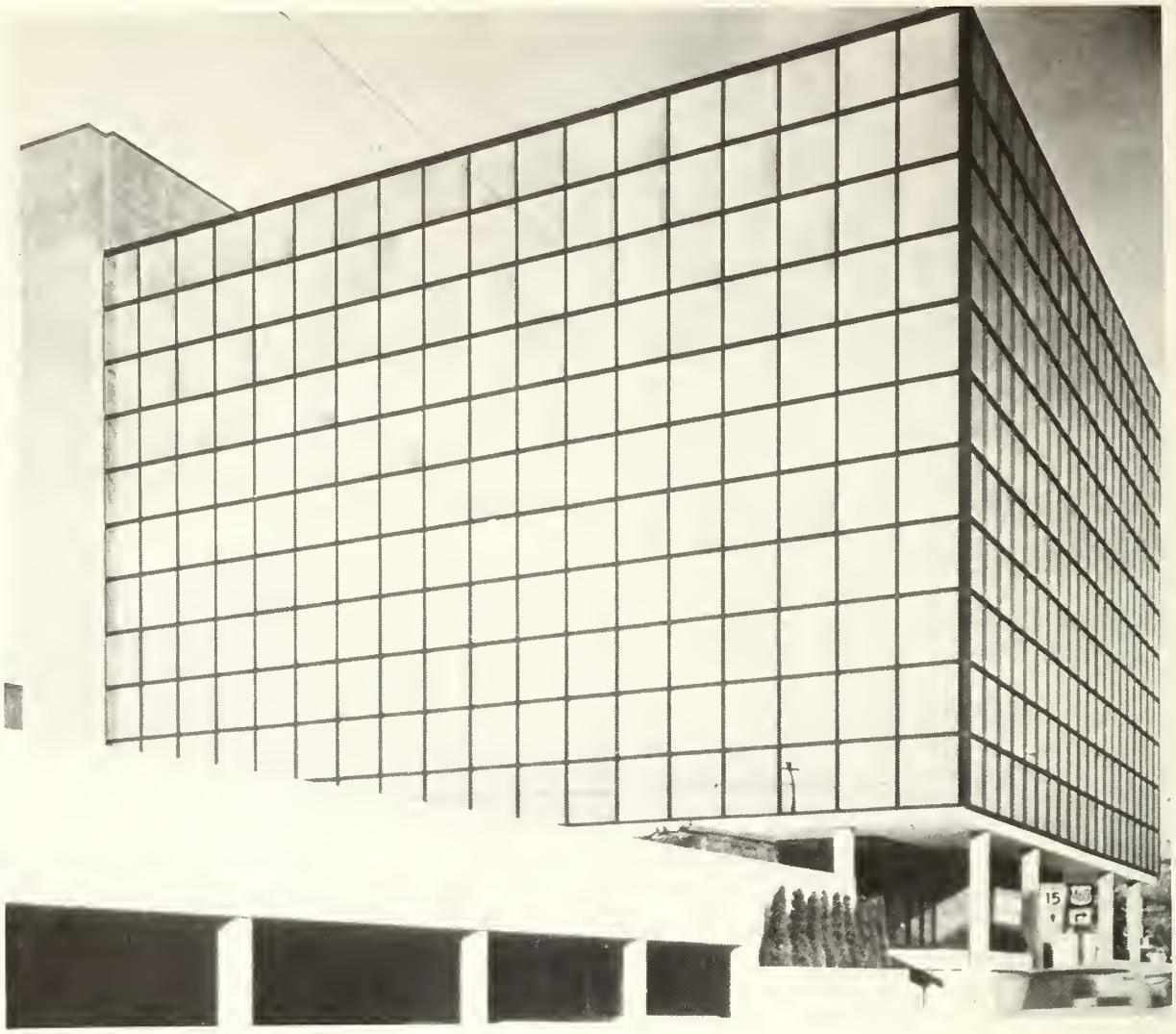

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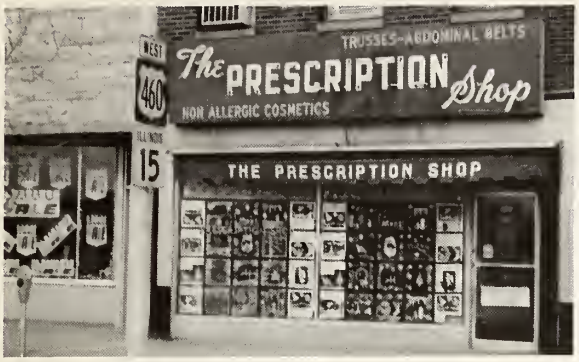

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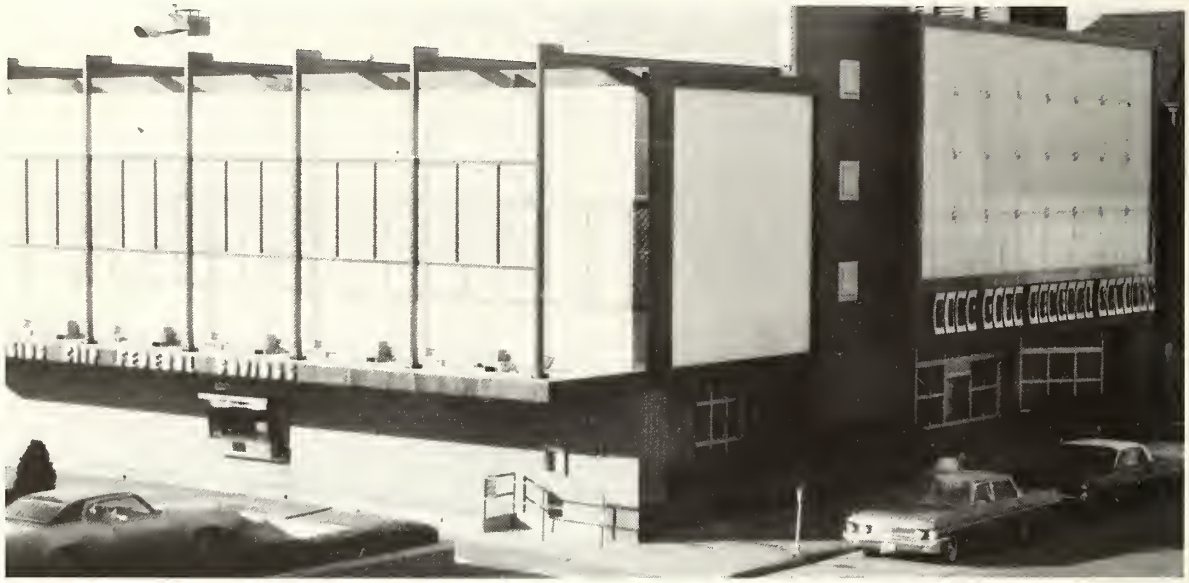

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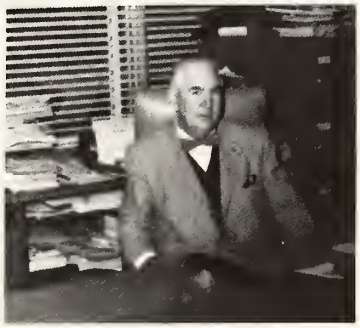

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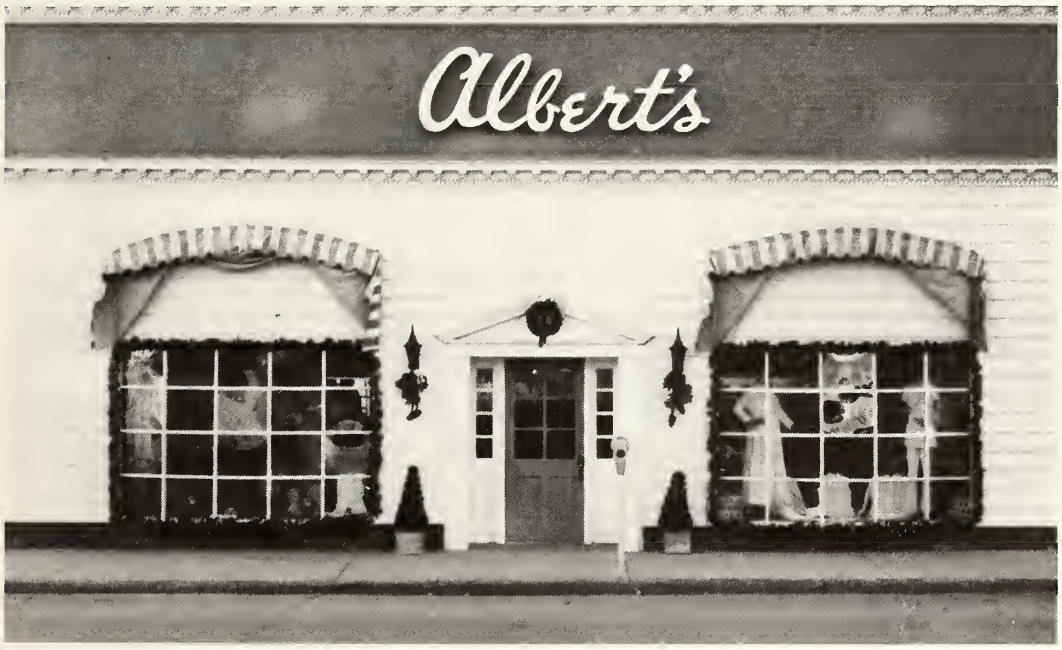

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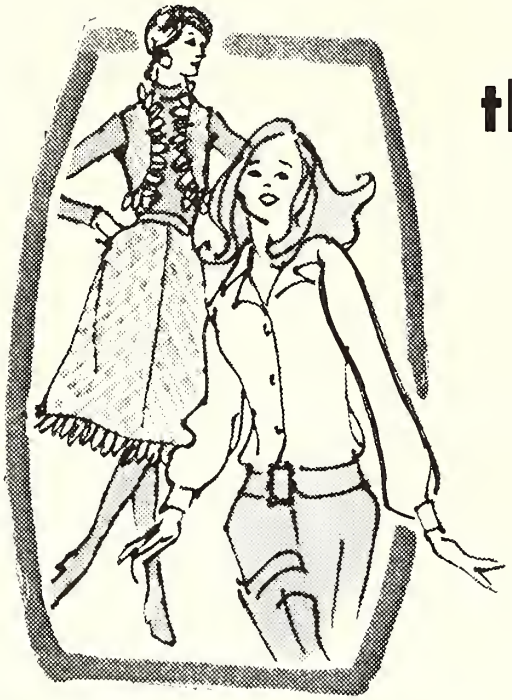

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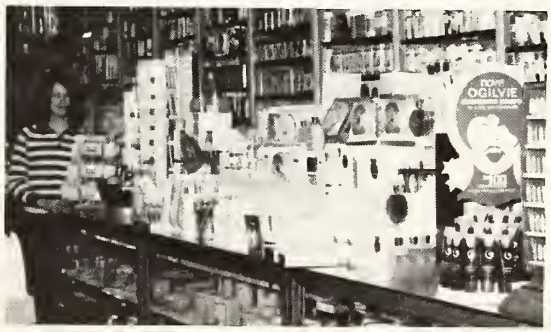

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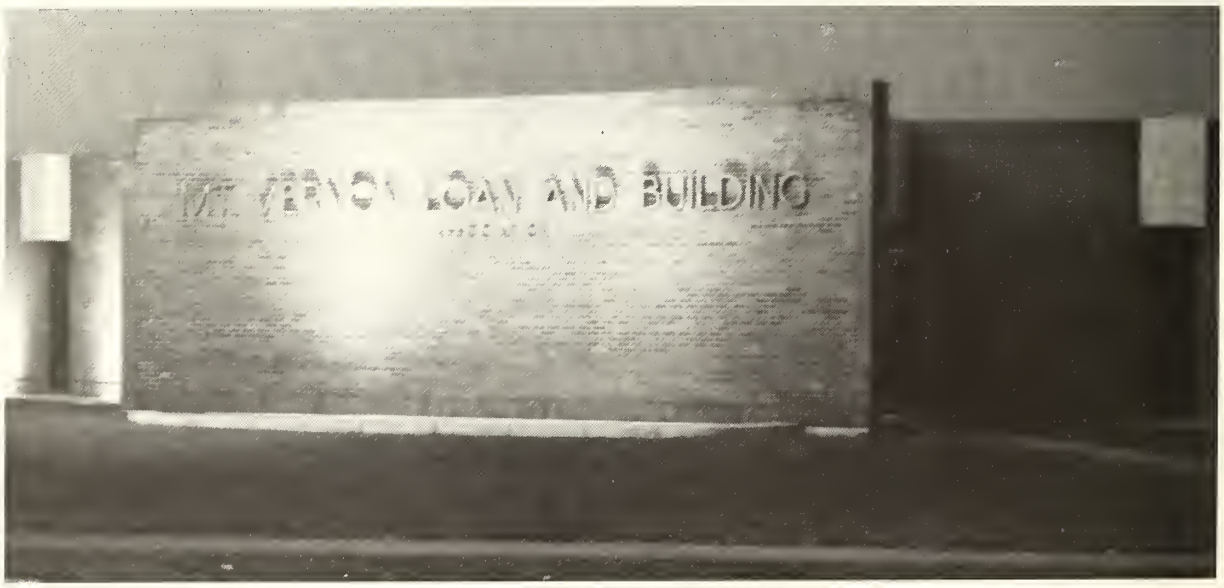

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